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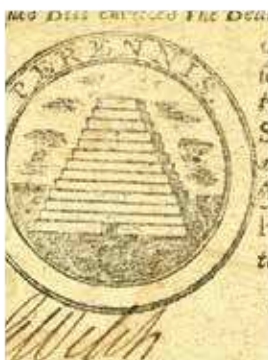
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# SESSION ONE

## CONTINENTAL CURRENCY



**20001 Continental Currency May 10, 1775 \$1 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

With all of the unusual denominations that were issued as part of this and other Continental emissions, one might assume that the \$1 would be a rather pedestrian, common denomination. In fact, it is generally very scarce and infrequently encountered today. This note is a pleasant higher grade example, fully framed with clear straight margins. The serial number and one signature are boldly penned.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20002 Continental Currency May 10, 1775 \$2 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

The *PMG Population Report* confirms what your cataloger has assumed for decades; the \$2 denomination from this initial Continental emission is actually the scarcest. It is also a conditional rarity, with a single Choice CU 63 EPQ listed, followed by just a handful of nice AU notes, of which this is one. This is one of the sleeper rarities that is the *sine qua non* of any advanced Continental Currency collection.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### Marbled Edge \$20 1775 Continental



**20003 Continental Currency May 10, 1775 \$20 PMG Very Fine 25 Net.**

This is a very collectible example of one of America's most historic paper currency notes. Uniquely printed from the May 10, 1775 Session, the \$20 uses marbled polychromatic paper, which is visible at the left end. The marbled paper obtained by Benjamin Franklin for this purpose was later used on the first United States Federal Loan Certificate (Anderson-Smythe US-1). This moderately circulated note retains excellent color with just some repairs noted by PMG.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20004 Continental Currency November 29, 1775 \$1 PCGS Banknote About Unc 53 PPQ.**

A well margined example, although the margins are irregular. The signatures of both Thomas Coombe and Phineas Bond remain visible on this \$1, the lowest of the eight denominations that were part of this issue that ranged in whole dollar amounts from \$1 to \$8. These \$1 notes carry the highest assigned values of all of the denominations as listed in both the Newman and Friedberg references.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**





**20005 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$1/2 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A lovely Fugio note, this piece boasts strong originality and embossing. These small change denominations have not survived in large quantity in this grade. When they're offered this nice, they tend to realize a strong price.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20007 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$1/2 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

An attractive February 17, 1776, small-denomination note, this type features Benjamin Franklin-designed motifs on both sides. Plate C. Both the face sundial and back chain are strong. The paper still exhibits original blue threads. Sharp printing is seen on both sides, and the note is well margined. Some minor foxing on the back distracts little.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20008 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$2/3 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

A well printed and very well signed example of this popular Fugio note that has just had a minor repair.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20006 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$1/2 PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.**

A lovely \$1/2 Fugio note that has sustained only very light handling. The margins are excellent and the note exhibits pleasing paper surfaces, a bold signature, and distinct serial number. A very handsome type note overall.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20009 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$6 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

One of the higher graded examples for this better Continental issue, the note features the emblem of a beaver gnawing down a tree and the motto, "PERSEVERANDO" (By Perseverance). The note is unusually well-margined on both sides and retains bold signatures and serial number.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20010 Continental Currency May 9, 1776 \$2-\$3 Uncut Pair PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

The penmanship is bold on both pieces of this vertical uncut pair that is the first example of these two denominations in this format to participate in our auctions. The only handling observed is the fold between the two notes. Also, the left margin is extra wide on this dark printed piece. It has minor stains, but still remains attractive. The serial number for both of these two notes is 13368. An upcoming lot in this auction session also has a \$4-\$5 uncut pair with serial 13368.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20011 Continental Currency May 9, 1776 \$4-\$5 Uncut Pair PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

An uncut horizontal pair with a fold running between the two notes. This pair is serial numbered 13368. A couple of its sheet mates in a vertical pair can be found in a previous lot in this session.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20012 Continental Currency July 22, 1776 \$6 PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 64 PPQ.**

One of the nicest notes for the issue, this piece last appeared at auction with us back in 2010. It is beautifully margined, boldly signed, and totally problem free with originality present.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20013 Continental Currency July 22, 1776 \$30 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

One of the scarcer Continental issues, examples are difficult to find offered at this grade level. The vignettes are sharp on this well signed \$30. This well preserved note was likely held to the 63 level only for its small face margins. This \$30 is the denomination with the double vignettes on the back rather than the normally seen nature print.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20014 Continental Currency July 22, 1776 \$30-\$2-\$3-\$4/\$8-\$7-\$6-\$5 Counterfeit Detector Uncut Sheet of Eight PMG Uncirculated 60 Net.**

A rare Counterfeit Detector multiple with the denominations starting off with the \$30 followed by one each of the \$2 through \$8. All of the individual notes are fully Uncirculated, even though there are light folds between them. PMG mentions minor splits, but they are confined to the margins. We have offered only three different examples of this Counterfeit Detector uncut sheet over the years. The last appearance was made by the Eric Newman sheet. It graded PCGS Choice About New 55 and brought \$3,760 four years ago.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20015 Continental Currency November 2, 1776 \$8 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A note acquired by our consignor at our auction of the Midnight Ride Collection in September, 2009. PMG has graded only one higher and none equal. We have auctioned the lone higher graded example twice during the intervening years. It grades PMG 66 EPQ and its last Heritage auction appearance occurred in September, 2018 when it fetched \$3,840. We do not expect that price for our current bid will produce plenty of competitive bidding.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20016 Continental Currency November 2, 1776 \$30 PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.**

Spectacularly well margined, with strong signatures, good eye appeal and obvious original embossing, this is one of the extremely popular Thirty Dollar notes with the double vignette on the back. The mottos with the emblems on the back are VI CONCITATE (Driven by force) and CESSANTE VENTO CONQUIESCEMUS (When the storm dies down we will rest). The emblem on the face is a tomb with a wreath on it. The motto is SI RECTE FACIES (If you act righteously you will be honored after death).

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20017 Continental Currency February 26, 1777 \$2 PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58 PPQ.**

This Baltimore issued two dollar is a highly significant note at this grade level. It has the look of a Gem with broad margins, super sharp printing, and bright signatures.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20018 Continental Currency May 20, 1777 \$2 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

From the second scarcest issue of Continentals, this piece is unusually high grade for this issue. The Newman book prices every denomination of this issue at \$2000 in EF and \$4000 in UNC. While the prices are quite optimistic, to say the least, they are a good indication of the true scarcity of this issue. This is a bright, well printed example that just has a corner repair.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20019 Continental Currency May 20, 1777 \$3 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The First United States issue, named for the placement of 'The United States' into the top border cut, has traditionally been considered the second hardest resolution to find. In high grades, this is especially true as this is the sole example to have received an Uncirculated grade from PMG. The printing is very sharp and the face margins are clear and even. A marvelous \$3 type from this famous title issue.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20020 Continental Currency May 20, 1777 \$30 PCGS Banknote Uncirculated 62.**

The only Continental denomination with a double vignette rather than the nature print on the back. The twin vignettes on the back of the \$30 denomination were utilized on five different issues: May 10, 1775, July 22, 1776, November 2, 1776, February 26, 1777, and May 20, 1777. The \$30 notes in the final issues utilized nature prints on the backs. The double vignettes are the same two vignettes that appear face and back on the \$20 May 10, 1775 marbled edge note. Both were designed by Benjamin Franklin. Franklin's original sketch for the VI CONCITATE vignette appears on page 78 of the 5th edition Newman.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20021 Continental Currency April 11, 1778 \$20 PCGS Banknote Choice Extremely Fine 45 PPQ.**

A well printed Yorktown \$20 note that retains originality despite its time in circulation. A great opportunity for the collector who does not want to pay a mid-four figure price for an Uncirculated note.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**





#### 20022 Continental Currency April 11, 1778 \$30 PCGS About New 53PPQ.

A well signed \$30 that is nicely margined on both sides, this example is from what is by far the rarest of the Continental issues. Thirty Dollar notes are not known to have been counterfeited, but six of the eight denominations of Yorktowns were heavily counterfeited by the British in an effort to undermine the value of the currency of the nascent United States. The existence of these deceptive counterfeits is the reason that this April 11, 1778 issue is the rarest of all the Continentals. When these counterfeits appeared shortly after the genuine notes were issued, the Continental Congress voted to recall all April 11, 1778 notes. This piece luckily escaped that recall.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

### Complete Continental Uncut Sheet



#### 20023 Continental Currency September 26, 1778 \$60-\$50-\$40-\$30-\$20-\$8-\$7-\$5-\$60-\$50-\$40-\$30-\$20-\$8-\$7-\$5 Uncut Double Pane Sheet PMG Extremely Fine 40.

Two examples of each denomination of this issue are found on this complete 16 note sheet. Each note has both a black ink and a red ink signature. Extra security design features include miniature arrows being added to the back of the \$50 and also a miniature bow adorning the back of the \$60. We have offered a double pane of counterfeit detector notes for this issue in the past, but this is the first double pane of issued notes to come under our auspices. This historical sheet was folded down to the size of a single note at one time which accounts for the splits comments on the back label.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20024 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$1 PCGS Very Choice New 64.**

Several years have passed since we last offered an example from this issue in high grade. The last Continental Currency series was unique in its use of a red color border cut and partial color emblem vignette. The \$1 from this series is one of the key notes. It is a well printed nicely margined piece that exhibits bold signatures.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20025 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$4 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

PMG has graded just two equal and two higher of this note. Our archives reveal that this is the second highest graded example to participate in our auctions. It is a well signed note with excellent color.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$600**



**20026 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$20 PCGS Banknote About Unc 53 PPQ.**

A lightly handled Continental that faces up nicer than the assigned grade.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20027 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$65-\$60-\$55-\$50/\$45-\$40-\$35-\$30 Uncut Sheet of Eight PMG Very Fine 30.**

This is an unusual issue to find as a multiple, as we have offered just a few of these "half sheets." In fact, this is only the second example to cross our auction block in the last seven years. Many of the odd denominations that are peculiar to this final issue of Colonials are on this sheet. It contains the \$30, \$35, \$40, \$45, \$50, \$55, \$60, and \$65 notes. All of the examples are individually appealing and fully issued with penned strong signatures of both J. Leacock and N. Donnell. PMG mentions splits on the label. They are at both ends of the horizontal center fold and within the center of the vertical center fold. Overall, a few of the notes are XF, but many are either AU or Uncirculated.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**





**20028 Continental Congress Federal Indent September 27, 1785 Anderson 167 \$4 PMG Very Fine 25.**

Eric Newman, in the *Early Paper Money of America*, 4th Edition, page 71, tells the story of these notes: "After the end of hostilities, the Continental Congress, although unable to redeem its paper money, was faced with the obligation of meeting the interest and principal on its domestic and foreign bonds, and paying the current expenses of the national government. Accordingly, the Continental Congress anticipated such expenses by requisitioning the funds with issues of indents in convenient denominations payable to the bearer and receivable for taxes." All issues were signed by either John Hardy or Michael Hillegas. This moderately circulated example does have some ink burn but, otherwise, the paper is solid and all of the printed details and the "J. Hardy" signature are quite bold.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20029 Continental Congress Federal Indent Oct. 11, 1787 \$8 PMG Very Fine 20.**

These indented bills were issued by the Continental Congress from 1782 through 1787. Early in the issuing period, the value depreciated by about 20%, but as the notes were accepted for taxes, the value quickly recovered. By 1782 Congress was unable to honor the large quantity of Continental notes that were in circulation, and their value fell to nearly nothing (not worth a continental sound familiar?). These notes were then issued to circulate, and were accepted in payment of taxes (which earlier Continentals were not). Newman identifies the denominations as \$1, \$2, \$4, \$6, \$8 and \$25 but he speculates that other denominations were also issued. Notes are known only with issue dates of September 27, 1785 and October 11, 1787, with this offering bearing the latter date. This is a very attractive, problem-free note with the clear signature of J(ohn) Hardy.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## Federal Indent with Fractional Denomination



**20030 Continental Congress Federal Indent September 27 1785 \$1 and 8/90th's PMG Fine 12.**

These indented bills were issued by the Continental Congress from 1782 through 1787. Early in the issuing period, the value depreciated by about 20%, but as the notes were accepted for taxes, the value quickly recovered. By 1782 Congress was unable to honor the large quantity of Continental notes that were in circulation. Their value fell to nearly nothing ("Not worth a continental," sound familiar?). These notes were then issued to circulate, and were accepted in payment of taxes (which earlier Continentals were not). The authorized signers were John Hardy and Michael Hillegas, with almost all of the known examples signed by Hardy. His bold clear signature led early collectors to refer to these then mysterious and rare notes as "Hardy Bills." Newman identifies the denominations as \$1, \$2, \$4, \$6, \$8, \$9, \$15, \$20, \$25, \$50 and \$75, but he speculates that other denominations were also issued. Notes are known only with issue dates of September 27, 1785 and October 11, 1787, but other dates were undoubtedly used. In the course of our 60-plus sales we have handled fewer than five of these ultra rare notes.

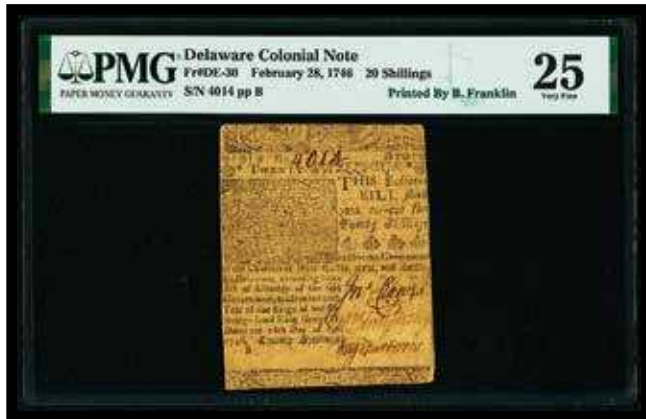
This is only the second example that we have ever seen that included a Fractional Denomination. All others that we have seen were for whole-dollar amounts, with a bold ink line drawn through the two areas where the handwritten fraction would have appeared. PMG has noted a few small holes on this circulated example but it is nevertheless a wonderful item that would complement any advanced collection of Continental Currency.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

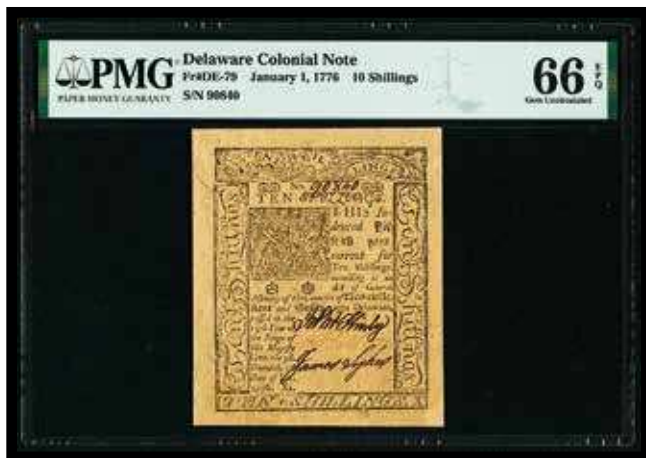
## COLONIAL NOTES

### DELAWARE

#### Unusually High-Grade Ben Franklin-Printed Delaware Note



**20031 Delaware February 28, 1746 20s PMG Very Fine 25.**  
This note is from the second Delaware issue to be printed by Benjamin Franklin. More importantly, it is also the finest we have ever auctioned for this denomination. The note is an attractive, well printed, and boldly signed piece with just some minor split repairs. In our recent Long Beach auction, we sold a PMG Fine 12 Net example for \$3,120.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20032 Delaware January 1, 1776 10s PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
Four large margins surround the face of this well preserved Delaware note that is well printed and displays three bold signatures, including the red signature in the middle of the trio. This is the nicest we have ever offered for the denomination.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**

### GEORGIA

#### Superb Quality No Resolution Date "Cannon" Note



**20033 Georgia 1777 \$5 No Resolution Date PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

The higher denominations from this issue used blue color seals. The well-defined Cannon seal at the lower right shows the motto ET DEUS OMNIPOTINCE. Four signatures. The paper quality is excellent, the margins virtually complete, and the seal color is sharp blue. Wide sheet selvage is seen at left. The Newman note which sold in the April 2015 Central States sale was an attractive PCGS Very Fine 30 that brought \$1,880. This beautiful PMG About UNC 53 is only bested in PMG's census by a single AU 58 example. This great note will no doubt find a happy home in a great Colonial Currency collection.

**Starting Bid: \$1,625**



**20034 Georgia 1777 \$13 PCGS Banknote Choice Very Fine 35.**

An unusual issue from a scarce colony, this \$13 note has five clear signatures and a green seal depicting a liberty cap and caduceus with the motto LIBERTAS CARIOR AURO. While the note has seen some time in circulation, it has escaped the experience without suffering any repairs or meaningful condition impairments unlike many, if not most, notes from this series.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20035 Georgia September 10, 1777 \$1 PCGS Very Fine 25.**

This orange \$1 Justice seal note is problem-free and quite nice for the assigned grade. Complete margins are all around and the appearance is pleasant.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## MARYLAND

### Extremely Rare Maryland \$1 1/3 Allegorical Note



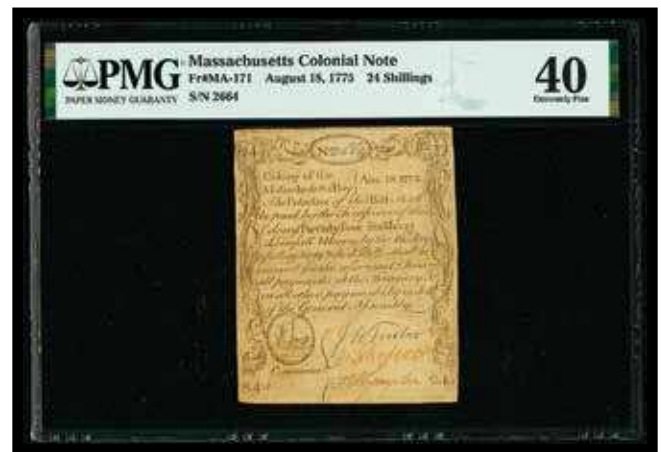
**20036 Maryland July 26, 1775 \$1 1/3 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

When these are seen, and they are extremely rare in all grades, they are virtually always in tatters. This is one of the finest examples that Heritage has had the privilege of handling. The engraving is far more elaborate than on any other Maryland issue, and the allegorical vignettes, although not executed with great skill, are as evocative as anything seen on Colonial Currency. The vignette at the top of the face shows George III setting fire to an American city with a torch while trampling on the Magna Carta. The border cut includes the text, "An appeal to HEAVEN" while the left cut reads, "Pro Aris et Focis," translated as "for altars and the hearth." The back is entirely given over to a vignette of Peace and Liberty. One of the most popular Colonial notes and extremely rare in all grades. This pleasing example, which has had some repairs, certainly faces up as a solid Very Fine.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**

## MASSACHUSETTS

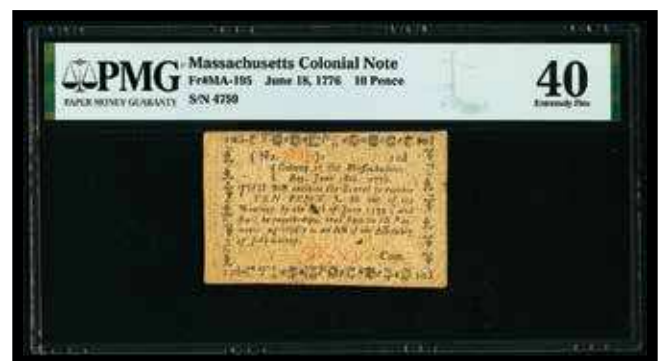


**20037 Massachusetts August 18, 1775 24s PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A lovely Sword in Hand note both engraved and printed by Paul Revere. The note is very well margined, well signed, and well printed. It is a perfect piece save for some very minor repairs of edge splits. It is number 2664 out of ten thousand pieces printed. This is one of the most popular issues among Colonial currency collectors due in large part to its direct association with Paul Revere and the great Continental Soldier Vignette on the back who holds his sword upright "In defence of American Liberty."

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

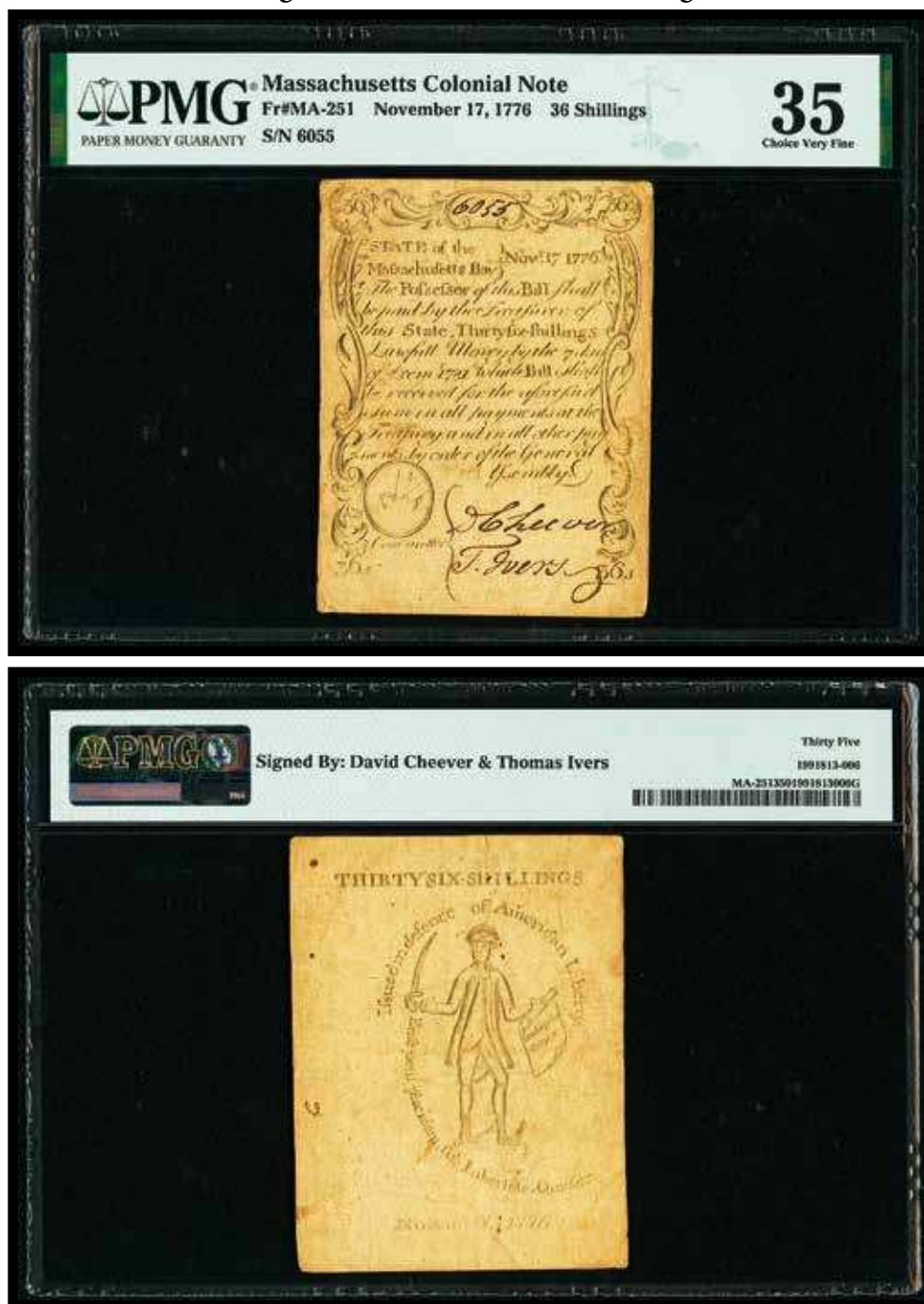


**20038 Massachusetts June 18, 1776 10d PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A very rare note in high grade, this piece is a beauty. It is signed and numbered in red and is totally free of repairs or restorations.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## Bright "Sword-in-Hand" 36 Shillings



### 20039 Massachusetts November 17, 1776 36s PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

One of the more elusive issues of Massachusetts notes, this piece is one of the nicest we have offered in some time. Only 6,485 examples of this unusual denomination were printed by Paul Revere after he modified the plate by changing MAGNA CHARTA to INDEPENDANCE on the back. This note displays even wear with strong signatures of both David Cheever and Thomas Ivers present. The printing is bold on both sides with some trivial marks noticed on the back. A wonderful note for the Colonial specialist.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**





**20040 Massachusetts October 16, 1778 3d PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A pleasing "Codfish" note, this piece is very nearly a Gem. The face has wonderful margins. The Thomas Fleet back boasts strong printing and is nicely centered. The tree details are superior from the strong inking.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## NEW HAMPSHIRE



**20041 New Hampshire November 3, 1775 40s PMG About Uncirculated 53 Net.**

A high-grade New Hampshire, and most importantly, a genuine example, as no counterfeits exist of the 40s denomination with the 1780 due date. The signatures of Gillman and Hobart are extremely strong, the note is very nicely margined, and has terrific eye appeal. PMG has mentioned a restoration, but any such repairs are not readily apparent.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**20042 New Hampshire November 3, 1775 40s PCGS Apparent About New 50.**

Some small edge tears do not distract from the overall pleasing appearance that this thin paper Colonial note displays. The signatures remain strongly printed and the note has tremendous eye appeal.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20043 New Hampshire June 28, 1776 4d PMG Very Fine 30.**

Only 6,000 of these Revolutionary War period 1776 dated smaller size Pence denomination notes were printed. Of those, 3,000 would likely have this January 1787 due date. This is an attractive, moderately circulated example of this rare Colonial issue and easily the finest we have been able to offer in over two decades.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## NEW JERSEY



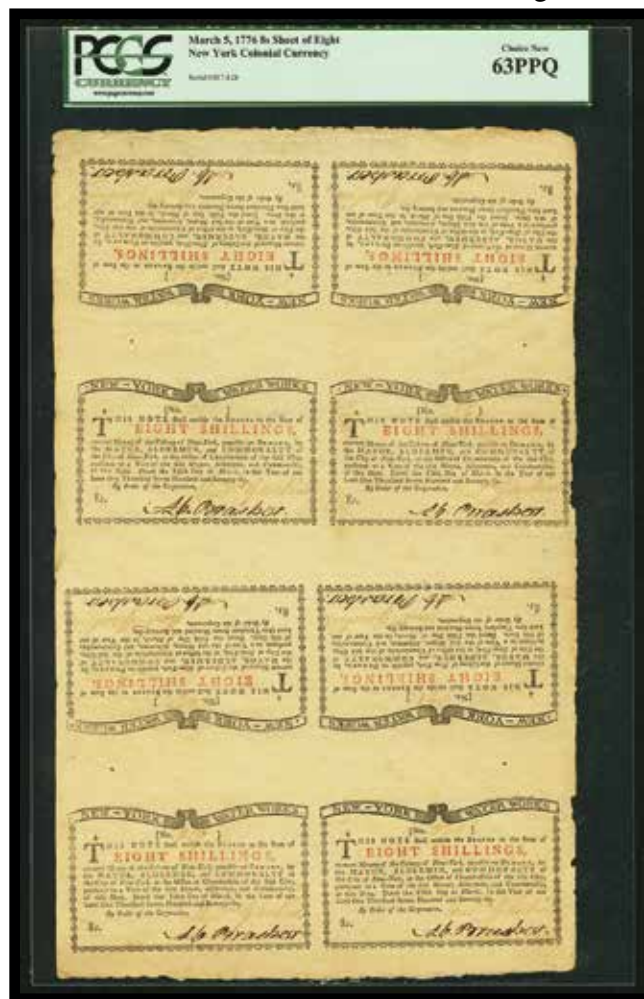
**20044 New Jersey March 25, 1776 £6 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

This is a nicely margined note with dark inks and three bold signatures. This piece, bearing serial number 3051, has earned the EPQ grade modifier. We last sold an example in this grade for \$2,050 back in 2015.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## 8s Water Works Uncut Sheet of Eight



## 20045 New York March 5, 1776 (Water Works) 8s Uncut Sheet of Eight PCGS Choice New 63PPQ.

We have seen only three different Waterworks uncut sheets in our nearly sixty years in the business. These notes were printed on two separate pieces of paper that have been joined together during the printing process. The face is on a fine light tan paper and the back on a very coarse, fibrous dark brown paper. On this example, the white face sheet was slightly broader than the brown back sheet. The heavy dark back paper was often flawed, but that is not the case with this sheet. All eight notes are serial numbered with two signatures. Taken individually, five of the notes are perfect Gems, and three would be considered at least Choice New. It is an incredible item that should find its way into a significant Colonial collection.

From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection

Starting Bid: \$2,500



## NORTH CAROLINA

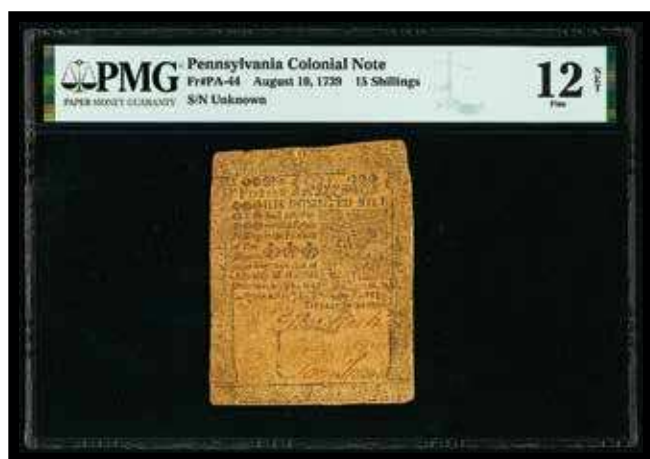


### 20046 North Carolina April 2, 1776 \$1/4 Hare PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

This very sharply printed and handsome \$1/4 Hare is Top Pop at PMG, and certainly one of the very nicest we have seen. PMG comments there is a tear and staining. The margins are complete, though close along the top. The vignette of the Hare, shown munching on vegetables, has exquisite detail and is deeply inked. An interesting plate layout forced one signature to be near the top and the other at the bottom, as opposed to being together. The *Mike Coltrane Collection* note was a problemed PMG Very Fine 30 and it still realized an astounding \$1,800. A real sleeper for the colonial specialist.

Starting Bid: \$625

## PENNSYLVANIA



### 20047 Pennsylvania August 10, 1739 15s PMG Fine 12 Net.

This is the first example of this issue and denomination that we have had to offer in almost 20 years. It is the first issue from Pennsylvania that has the format and general appearance of the notes we are used to seeing. It is also the issue in which Ben Franklin introduced deliberate misspellings of Pennsylvania on different denominations as a device to prevent raised-denomination notes. Despite have been repaired and reconstructed, the "Printed by B. Franklin" imprint is strong and clear immediately beneath the sharp nature print.

From the *Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

Starting Bid: \$500

## Rare October 1, 1755 Franklin & Hall Note



### 20048 Pennsylvania October 1, 1755 10s PCGS Apparent Very Fine 20.

"The highest denomination from this earlier Franklin and Hall printed series. Plate B. The backwards ("mirror image") "S" is in the border. This example has a particularly bold back and clear imprint at the bottom. Noted with "Edge Splits and Repairs; Minor Stains; Small Paper Pulls on Back." A high-grade note from this enactment." This was our description when we sold this same note for over \$1,100 in our May 2016 Newman sale. This is the earliest Pennsylvania series that is even remotely available to collectors. A true sleeper that will likely represent that last opportunity to obtain one for a long time.

Starting Bid: \$500

## Lightly Circulated “Printed by Ben Franklin” Note



### 20049 Pennsylvania May 20, 1758 20s PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A well preserved note that was “Printed by Ben Franklin” and “Signed by Charles Thomson” as noted on the PMG holder. Thomson was the Secretary of the Continental Congress and served in that role for the entire fifteen years of its existence. He also notified Washington that he had been nominated for the presidency. The Newman reference does not price this note higher than Very Fine. As discussed in Eric P. Newman’s four-part 1964 Numismatist article, “Nature Printing on Colonial and Continental Currency,” denominations appear within some nature prints on Pennsylvania Colonial currency. On the present example, the “XX” has been placed at the base of the stem. This additional device would have served as a deterrent to altering the note in order to raise the denomination. An incredible example that is not only Top Pop at PMG for the denomination, but which is the finest example they have graded for all denominations of this early Franklin series. The next best 20 Shilling note grades VF 25, and the second finest of any denomination in this series is an EF 40 fifteen shilling. We last saw this note in our 2013 FUN sale. It realized a healthy \$4,112.50 on that day and is no doubt worth much more in today’s robust market.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



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## Genuine 30s 1769 Pennsylvania - PCGS 40PPQ



### 20050 Pennsylvania March 1, 1769 £1 10s PCGS Extremely Fine 40PPQ.

When first offered this attractive Colonial in our 2014 FUN sale, we said, "The first genuine example that we have handled of this note and very likely the second highest survivor in existence. The note is not priced above fine in either Newman or Friedberg and the only nicer example we have ever seen is the Newman plate note which is right around this same grade though slightly better margined. All the notes from this issue are rare as they were called for redemption. This issue was called for redemption due to the number of well executed counterfeits that were circulating. This denomination along with the £3 were counterfeited. Herman Rosencrantz was convicted of producing counterfeits of the £3 notes and he was executed on May 5, 1770 in Philadelphia as a result. PCGS has not released a Colonial Population Report, but PMG has not graded a single example of this note. This genuine example should command a solid four figure price." What sets this note head and shoulders above all others is that it has received both an Extremely Fine grade as well as the vaunted Premium Paper Quality designation. Any other note from this series would be blessed with only one of those qualities. This magnificent piece sold for \$3,290 in our 2014 FUN sale. After seven years, it is time for a bit of good luck to be bestowed upon one lucky bidder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

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## Francis Hopkinson Signed Note



### 20051 Pennsylvania March 20, 1771 20s PMG About Uncirculated 53.

Fra(ncis) Hopkinson is the dark top signature on this note. He signed the Declaration of Independence as a New Jersey delegate. He also served in various roles in the early United States government including as a member of the Second Continental Congress. In addition, he had a hand in designing the Continental Currency April 11, 1778 \$40 note by developing the note's emblem that combines both the CONFEDERATION motto with the "All Seeing Eye of Providence" vignette. The last example of this 20 Shillings note signed by Hopkinson that we auctioned was graded PCGS XF 40 Apparent and realized \$1,320 in November, 2017. The back label of our current offering cites paper pulls which are from a previous mounting. It is still one of the highest examples graded by PMG and also has a link to our nation's founding.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Our First Oct. 25, 1775 Uncut Sheet Offering in 16 Years



### 20052 Pennsylvania October 25, 1775 3d-4d-6d-9d-3d-4d-6d-9d-3d-4d-6d-9d Uncut Sheet PMG About Uncirculated 50.

We have auctioned only one other uncut sheet from this October, 1775 issue and it crossed our auction block in January, 2005. It was a double pane uncut sheet with four different denominations than those found on the sheet in this lot. This is the first sheet of the four lowest denominations of this 1775 issue to be included in our auctions. Thos. Tilbury boldly signed each well printed note. This uncut sheet also has its full complement of selvage. The back label mentions minor stains. We see minor staining on a 3d and on a 6d note.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



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## Rare and Desirable “Island Money” Note



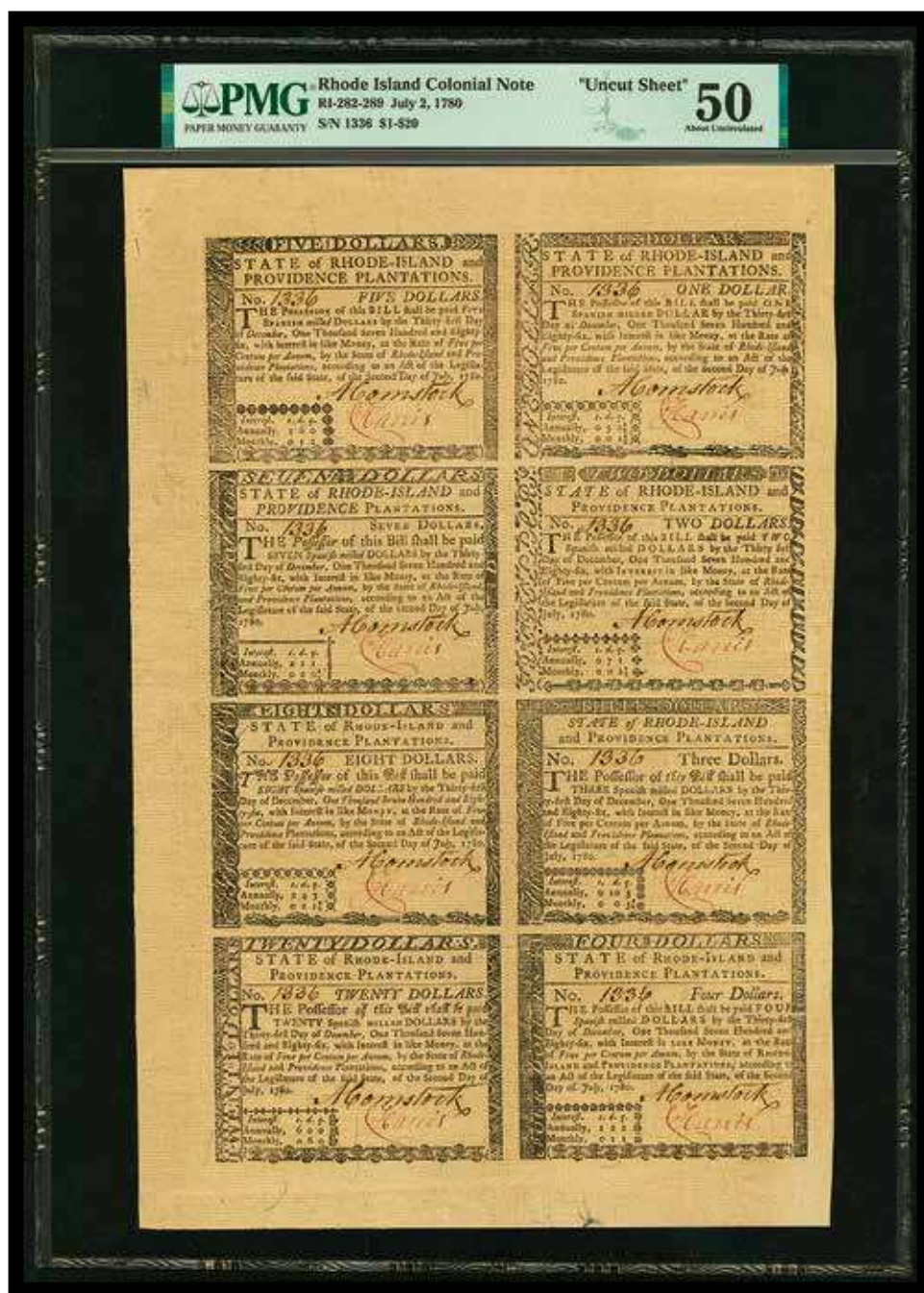
### 20053 Pennsylvania April 29, 1780 5s PCGS Very Fine 30.

You can count on one hand the number of notes we have sold from this series across all denominations. This issue is referred to as ‘Island Money,’ as it was secured by a pledge of land, including Province Island. The date of invalidity of this series was moved several times, with the final date being January 1, 1793. At that time, remaining notes were redeemed with specie, accounting for the extreme scarcity of these pieces today. The note is a solid VF-EF note, without a hint of a problem. The Newman book values these at \$4,500 in Fine, with no higher grade given. The Friedberg catalog simply notes the entire issue as very rare, with no price for any grade. Tonight’s impressive offering is the nicest problem free example we have sold from this rare series. A great colonial.

**Starting Bid: \$1,375**

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# RHODE ISLAND



20054 Rhode Island July 2, 1780 \$5-\$7-\$8-\$20-\$1-\$2-\$3-\$4 Uncut Sheet PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A broadly margined uncut sheet signed by A(dam) Comstock and C(aleb) Harris, this sheet is almost complete, but the backs lack the final guaranty signature on this serial number 1336 sheet. Handling is confined to the broad margins. There is also a fold between the second and third rows. A couple of small edge split repairs are observed when the sheet is backlit. Nonetheless, it remains attractive and has retained its dark printing.

Starting Bid: \$500



## SOUTH CAROLINA

### A Very Rare High Grade South Carolina April-May 1775 Promissory Note



#### 20055 South Carolina April-May 1775 Promissory Note £50 PMG Very Fine 20.

During the Revolutionary War, South Carolina issued these promissory notes to help pay for the costs the colony was incurring during the war with Great Britain. Heavy penned cancellations are found across the note, with Henry Middleton's signature being crossed out. Henry Middleton's plantation, Middleton Place, is located outside of Charleston, and has been restored and opened to the public. PMG has noted the Pen Cancels, which are rather obvious, and some Ink Burn, which is not nearly as obvious. We have recently sold quartered pieces, which were separated but still managed a near four-figure price. This fantastic example should be well worth the price of admission and is a "must-have" for the South Carolina specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20056 South Carolina December 23, 1776 \$2-\$3-\$4 Uncut Sheet PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

Only the second example of this Uncut Sheet to appear in our auctions, with the first offering occurring way back in January, 2008. The lone signature is of J(ames) Wakefield. Four signers were needed to put these notes into circulation. There is a fold between the second and third notes. Stains are mentioned on the back label, but all we see is light staining. Do not wait another 13 years for one of these sheets to become available.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20057 South Carolina February 14, 1777 \$20 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

A very high grade for this piece with the "bird escaping cage" emblem. PMG has graded none equal and just two higher by only five grade points each. The highest graded example that we have previously auctioned was formerly in the Eric Newman Collection. It was a PCGS XF example that realized \$1,680 in November, 2017. The Latin motto of IBI PATRIA UBI LIBERTAS translates as, "Here in our country is where freedom is." As usual, three signatures are bold and the perpendicular signature is faint. Nonetheless, a quality example from an issue that consists only of the \$20 and \$30 denominations.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20058 South Carolina February 8, 1779 \$60 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

A white paper example of one of the four original denominations for this issue. We see only honest circulation and one hard fold that shows that this note has not been tampered with. The face vignette is of a seated *Liberty* figure holding a cornucopia and surrounded by a ribbon with the Latin motto of, "MUTUA DEFENSIO TUTISSIMA," which translates as, "Mutual defense is safest." This note is in a comment free third party holder. Recent years have seen third party graded AU examples, even with comments, routinely break the \$1,000 barrier in our auctions.

**Starting Bid: \$600**



## OBSOLETES BY STATE

### ALABAMA

20061 **Coloma, AL- Jas. H. Savage** \$2 Sep. 15, 1862 Rosene UNL Gunther & Derby UNL PMG Very Fine 25.

This is by far the finest of the three notes known from this issuer, who is listed in the 1860 Federal Census for Coloma, as a "merchant." We have sold both of the other pieces known, a 50 cent and a \$1, each of which is illustrated in the new Gunther & Derby reference. Both are heavily repaired, with tears and pieces replaced. This new to the market discovery \$2 is substantially nicer, with a strong signature, fully intact paper, and just a bit of light staining which is confined to the reverse.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

20062 **Jacksonville, AL- T.C. Cannon** 50¢ Sept., 1862 Rosene UNL Gunther & Derby UNL PMG Fine 12.

Both Rosene and the new Gunther & Derby reference list only a single note extant from Jacksonville. That piece, from a different issuer, is a mystery as it is unillustrated in both texts. This example is newly discovered, and offered to collectors for the first time at public sale. It is almost certainly unique for the issuer and offers to collectors what might be their only opportunity to obtain even one obsolete note from Jacksonville for their holdings. PMG does note repairs, which, though present, are hardly meaningful on an item of this rarity.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



20059 **South Carolina February 8, 1779 \$90 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

One of the higher PMG graded examples of this number is in this lot. The ink is dark, the three signatures are bold, and the back vignette of *Hercules* strangling a lion is one of the best in the entire field of Colonials. This piece has contemporary mathematical annotations on the back, too. The last example to cross our auction block was another PMG AU 55 note that also had mathematical annotations on the back. It realized \$1,020 in September, 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### VERMONT



20060 **Vermont February 1781 1s PMG Very Good 10 Net.**

One of the more eye-pleasing Vermonts that we have had the pleasure of handling. At a glance, it appears to be both a solid Very Fine and to be unrestored. On closer inspection however, it becomes apparent that the bottom inch of the note is actually from a different note than the top two-thirds. This is very often the case with Vermont notes, and on this particular example, the face-to-back registration allowed for an almost perfect blending of the two pieces. Vermont notes were printed on thin, weak paper that disintegrated rapidly. Fragments of notes are far more common than whole examples. Early collectors often "cobbled together" whole notes from the pieces that were available to them. Their scarcity is due to the fact that only a single issue was emitted, and that issue, authorized in February of 1781, had its legal-tender status revoked after a little more than a year in circulation. The scarcity was increased by the fact that these notes retained their validity for tax payments, but the Treasury was denied the right to re-issue the bills, and they were burnt when received as taxes. This is one of the better restoration efforts we've seen. The note really does look like a solid VF. PMG has noted that the note has been reconstructed from two different notes resulting in the net grade, but the piece is extremely pleasing visually.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



20063 **La Fayette, AL- Homer Hinds** 10¢ Aug. 12, 1862 Rosene UNL Gunther & Derby UNL PMG Very Fine 20 Net.

An excessively rare and likely unique piece of scrip, this offering is new to the market and likely the only scrip item ever to be available at public sale from this community. It is backed on lined blue paper, likely the sole reason for its survival. This accounts for its Net grade, as the note is otherwise fully intact and actually quite attractive. If rarity and desirability are any guide, expect an easy four figure realization.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Likely Unique for the Town & Issuer



20064 Pleasant Site, AL- R. Bolton 50¢ Feb. 1, 1862 Rosene UNL Gunther & Darby UNL PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.

This tiny community is today an unincorporated area located in rural Franklin County in the far northwestern corner of the state. R. Bolton, the issuer of this note, is likely Redden Bolton, who was born in 1822 and died in 1885 and who is buried in the local Winchester Cemetery in Pleasant Site. He served as the Postmaster at Pleasant Site. Neither Rosene nor the new Gunther & Darby references mention any notes whatever from Pleasant Site, leading us to conclude that this piece is almost certainly unique for both its location as well as its issuer. The PMG Net grade has been assigned because the note is backed, although it is certainly perfectly presentable.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## Rare Tombeckbe Bank \$20



20065 St. Stephens, AL- Tombeckbe Bank \$20 June 2, 1825 G12 Rosene UNL Gunther & Darby AO-438 \$20a PMG Fine 12.

St. Stephens began as a fort established by the Spanish governor of Mobile, Juan Vincente Folch, in 1789. Located 67 miles north of Mobile, it served as the first capital of the Alabama Territory after the state of Mississippi entered the union in 1817. The bank received its charter in February, 1818, with the bank's first president, Israel Pickens, later becoming Alabama's governor. After the capital was moved to Cahawba in 1820, the town swiftly declined, with the bank suspending specie payments in June of 1827 and failing soon thereafter. We sold the only other extant \$20 example six years ago, where we described it as, "An excessively rare note which may well be unique, as this denomination is unlisted in the Rosene reference and is listed in Haxby as SENC with "No Description Available," with that piece realizing \$4,700 despite having multiple repairs. This newly discovered example is problem free and perfect for the grade. If rarity and desirability are any guide here, expect a realization in the area of...

Starting Bid: \$1,750



20066 Tuscumbia, AL- Wallace & Ireland Cheap Cash Store 6 1/4¢ Nov. 25, 1825 Rosene UNL Gunther & Darby UNL PMG Very Fine 25.

A fantastic new discovery from a merchant unlisted in either Alabama reference, this piece is almost certainly unique. It's by far the earliest note known from any Tuscumbia issuer, and one of the very few Alabama scrip notes which date back as far as the mid-1820's. The Wallace & Ireland store is mentioned in Nina Leftwich's 1935 book *Two Hundred Years at Muscle Shoals, An Authentic History of Colbert County*.

Starting Bid: \$750

## ARKANSAS

### Extremely Scarce 1872 Arkansas \$1



20067 Little Rock, AR- State of Arkansas \$1 Jan. 16, 1874 Cr. 63 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

An extremely scarce note, this type is listed as Rarity 10 (Very Rare) in the Shull Southern States Currency reference. The last example we have had the privilege to offer, which was identically graded to this piece, realized almost \$5,000 in our 2016 FUN auction. The Act of March 16, 1871 called for the Treasurer to issue interest bearing certificates on bank note paper. These notes bore interest at 5%. This \$1 note is bright and flawless for the grade.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## CONNECTICUT

20068 West Winsted, CT- Hurlbut Bank \$2 Jan. 1, 1864 G20 PMG Very Good 10.

A rare issued note from this bank that is usually represented in collections with Proofs, this is the first issued example on the Hurlbut Bank to be a part of our auctions. Our consignor tells us that the only issued notes from this bank that he knows about are the piece in this lot and one other. Signatures are dark on this example that resides in a comment free holder.

Starting Bid: \$500



## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

### Rare Bank of the District of Columbia Uncut Proof Sheet



**20069 Washington, DC- Bank of the District of Columbia \$5-\$5-\$5-\$10 1858 as G8a-G8a-G8a-G10a Uncut Proof Sheet *Crisp Uncirculated*.**

This is a rare, uncut Obsolete sheet engraved and printed by Bald, Cousland & Co. with a full orange tint plate outlining the protectors. On the \$5 notes, the farmer driving a hay wagon interacts with a blacksmith in the center. The tint outlines the protector "V" and two "5" numerals across. At lower left is Buchanan, and at the lower right is seated Ceres. On the \$10 note, the tint outlines the ornate "X" across the center with the top center vignette showing a farm family chatting with a smithy. The sheet itself gives the appearance of being a Choice-Gem CU quality example, but since it is housed inside a frame, we cannot be certain so your cataloger has erred on the side of caution. Nice CU individual Proofs of this bank tend to sell for several hundred dollars each. Incredibly rare as an Uncut Proof Sheet, no others have sold in at least two decades. The only Uncut Sheet that we sold from this bank was a Remainder sheet, which graded PCGS Very Fine 30 and sold for \$2,350 as part of our 2016 Newman collection sale. A prize item for any serious Washington, D.C. collector.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## GEORGIA



**20070 Cuthbert, GA- Banking House of John McK. Gunn \$2 Jan. 1, 1861 UNL PMG Fine 12.**

An extremely rare Georgia note issued by John McKenzie Gunn, who operated a store and exchange office on the main square in Cuthbert. His Cuthbert home was built in 1853 as a present for his new bride, and the house still stands today. This is only the third note and the second fully issued example that we have auctioned from this issuer that is unlisted in both the Haxby and the *Whitman Encyclopedia of Obsolete Paper Money Volume 6* references. The only fully issued note that we offered previously from the Gunn Banking House was another \$2 grading PCGS Fine 12 Apparent which realized \$1,527 in January, 2015. Our current offering cites minor restoration on its back label. Backlighting the note before a light source reveals several small edge tears and a few small internal tears that have been nicely sealed, leaving a favorable impression for the third party grade.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Likely Unique Sheet



20071 Macon, GA- Bank of Middle Georgia \$1-\$1-\$2-\$5 18\_\_ G2-G2-G4-G6 Uncut Proof Sheet PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

The Bank of Middle Georgia was chartered on February 19, 1856 and remained in business until just after the war. While an exact suspension date has not yet been discovered, it seems almost certain that this occurred in 1865 as the bank's notes are quoted at very large discounts in newspapers of that year. The \$1 notes feature a vignette of livestock drinking at a trough and a vignette of *Justice* seated in a large chair draped in the Stars and Stripes. The \$2 features a vignette of an allegorical woman and a Native American male reclining by the Georgia coat of arms. The \$5 note depicts *Commerce* and perhaps *Agriculture* supporting an oval portrait of Washington. The sheet is printed on India paper mounted on cardstock with the usual POCs in the signature lines. One sheet (undoubtedly this example) appeared as part of Lot 288 in the 1990 ABNCo Archives sale, and is one of the few sheets from that sale to subsequently survive the cutting shears. A beautiful and historic survivor that will take any collection to which it is added to the next level.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## ILLINOIS



20072 Sullivan, IL- Pork Packers Bank \$3 186\_ G6 Remainder PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

The first time for us to offer a note from this bank, this example is a Remainder with serial number 614-A. Haxby states on page 378 that, "Circulating notes were printed, but were not issued to the bank and supposedly were all destroyed. Consequently, only Proofs should exist." The charming EPQ example in this lot contradicts that statement. Haxby further lists only the \$3 and \$5 denominations for this bank and both are described as SENC, "surviving example not confirmed" and NDA, "no description available". We now know that the central vignette for the \$3 is a pork slaughterhouse scene.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



20073 Thebes, IL- Canal Bank \$3 May 1, 1860 G2a Proof PMG Choice Uncirculated 64, 6 POCs.

An Illinois Free Bank, this institution did not have any of its Proofs in the ABNCo. archives sale of 1990. The Canal Bank was in business for a short time in 1860-61 before being overwhelmed by the financial turmoil surrounding the start of the Civil War. It was one of 90 banks in the state to fail during the year of 1861. The National Bank Note Company turned out delightful designs, and this note is no exception. With its extravagant red tints and design elements complementing detailed vignettes such as the lovely *The Mill Door* engraving at center, this example is likely to attract more than just Illinois specialists. This Proof's provenance extends its purchase from George Wait in the early 1980s. We have auctioned three different Proofs from this bank and our offering tonight is the nicest of that trio by a large margin. The other two Proofs came out of the Eric Newman Collection. This Proof \$3 is mounted on lightweight cardstock with the usual POCs in the signature lines.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



## LOUISIANA



**20074 Franklin, LA- William F. Haifleigh \$2 June 17, 1862 PMG Very Fine 25.**

An attractive note from this obscure issuer, this piece features an appealing steamboat vignette. William F(ranklin) Haifleigh (1820-1872) was a merchant who operated in the St. Mary Parish of Louisiana. This note has solid paper for the grade with just a few minor rust specks.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## Rare Railroad \$10



**20075 Jackson, LA- Clinton & Port Hudson Rail Road Co. \$10 May 1, 1836 G4 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

We have offered only one other example of this denomination from this issuer and that was in January, 2008. Our more recent offerings of other denominations include a PCGS VF 20 \$50 that realized \$7,050 in April, 2017, a PMG VF 20 Net \$20 that closed at \$6,462 in January, 2017, and a PCGS VF 25 example ex-Eric Newman that brought \$5,640 in October, 2015. Mounting remnants and stains are visible only on the back. This note should hammer in the range of that earlier discussed trio.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20076 St. Martinsville, LA- G. Webre & D.L. Broussard 50¢ Aug. 14, 1862 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20 Details.**

This is the first time that we have offered, or even seen, a note from this rare issuer. Earlier Don Louis Broussard was associated with Broussard & Tertrou. We have auctioned a single note from Broussard & Tertrou. That note was a damaged \$3 and has crossed our auction block twice, with the last time being in April, 2013. Our current offering has a corner that has been skillfully reattached on this otherwise evenly circulated 50¢ example.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## MARYLAND



**20077 Leitersburg, MD- J.P. Stephey 25¢ Dec. 1, 1841 Shank UNL PMG Very Fine 25.**

The Shank reference does not have a single issuer at this location in Washington County. This is the first time for us to offer an example from this issuer. Moreover, this piece is serial number 4. The paper is white and the blue ink penmanship is bold. The internal split mentioned on the back label is small. In sum, this piece is an attractive mid-grade hard to find rarity.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## MASSACHUSETTS

### John Hancock Bank Deuce



**20078 Springfield, MA- John Hancock Bank \$2 Jan. 1, 1857 G4a PCGS Very Fine 30PPQ.**

An extremely rare Obsolete with a uniquely styled layout, this piece was once part of the Eric Newman Collection. The John Hancock Bank became a national bank on April 5, 1865. They aggressively redeemed their previously issued Obsoletes. This is reflected in the references as almost every Obsolete except for three are described as SENC, "Surviving Example Not Confirmed" in Haxby and in Whitman only about 20% of the bank's notes even have a rarity rating. At top center is an impressive printed signature of John Hancock in the bold style that he used to sign the Declaration of Independence. At left is a large red protector numeral "2," which is different from the shaded and outlined protector used on the plated note in Whitman. This is a stunning example for the grade with attractive paper originality. A scant few issued Obsoletes and Proofs with the "John Hancock" engraved signature exist today. Most likely the example in this lot is one of the nicest. Cashier E. D(udley) Chapin would go on to be the cashier of the John Hancock National Bank from 1865-89 and then president from 1890-1905 when the bank was placed into voluntary liquidation.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

## MINNESOTA



**20079 St. Paul, MN- Bank of the State of Minnesota \$5 18\_\_ G8a Hewitt B740-D5-1 Proof PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

The bank was organized in September, 1858 and was the first of the Minnesota state banks to open. In 1859, two thirds of the capital stock was sold to New York interests. As a result, the bank failed when its parent company in New York failed on October 11, 1859. The bank's securities that had been deposited with the state were sold and note holders received 70¢ on the dollar. \$1,349 in outstanding circulation was never redeemed. The note features a vignette of Native Americans on horseback hunting bison. Two vignettes of *Prosperity* or *Plenty* anchor the ends, and a small oval female portrait appears at bottom center. The note has an orange overall tint and two orange and white 5 protectors. It is printed on India paper with the usual POCs in the signature lines. There are two stamp hinge remnants, one each in the middle of the left and right margins. This is quite reminiscent of D.C. Wismer's favored method of mounting and suggests a provenance stretching back to his holdings in the 1930s. The note was not part of the miniscule Minnesota section in the 1990 ABNCo. Archives sale. We are aware of two surviving examples in Proof form.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



## MISSOURI



20080 (St. James), MO - Wm. James-Maramec Iron Works \$2 Feb. 1, 1869 PCGS Choice About New 58PPQ.

A beautiful note that formerly resided in the Eric Newman Collection. This piece is a very elaborate product of the National Bank Note Company that uses some of their best known portraits and vignettes. Even the back is very detailed. This example looks almost perfect through the third party holder and is destined for the finest cabinet.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## NEW YORK

### Santa Claus Vignette



20081 Brooklyn, NY- Central Bank of Brooklyn \$2 18\_\_ Haxby as G2a Proof PMG Choice Uncirculated 63, POCs.

The bank was organized in 1853 and remained in business until it suspended operations in 1870. This denomination sports a wonderful Santa Claus vignette (Durand Type III) depicting Santa and his sleigh pulled by reindeer swooping down over a rooftop. The note is printed on India paper with the usual small POCs in the signature lines. While a number of minor varieties of this design appeared in the 1990 ABNCo. Archives sale, this example is in nicer condition than most, with just a small tear found in the top margin.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Exceptionally Nice Kirtland Safety Society Reissue



20082 Kirtland, OH- The Kirtland Safety Society Bank \$5 March 8, 1837 G8 Wolka 1424-10 Nyholm 32 Rust 7 PMG Very Fine 30.

A lovely example of this scarce note, this example is reissued and countersigned by Newell Kimball Whitney. In need of additional currency in Utah, Mormon church leaders decided to reissue notes that had originally been intended for use in Ohio. This piece is among the nicest we have handled, besting a Very Fine 25PPQ that sold in 2010 for nearly \$14,000. The paper is fresh and bright. Some bleeding of the penned signatures and serial numbers is present, as is common with nearly all notes from this issuer due to the thin paper.

Starting Bid: \$5,000

## Desirable Kirtland Safety Society Bank Note



20083 Kirtland, OH- Kirtland Safety Society Bank \$10 Mar. 1, 1837 G10, Wolka 1424-12, Rust 8 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

All of the penned in information on this \$10 is strong, with excellent signatures. The grading service has listed no qualifiers, making this a pleasant representative from this popular issuer.

From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection

Starting Bid: \$750



## OKLAHOMA



**20084 Armstrong Academy, Indian Territory (OK) - Choctaw Nation - Choctaw Treasury Warrant \$1 March 1, 1863 Cr. CHOC2A , Burgett 2, Durand IT-2. PMG Very Fine 20.**

An excessively rare note issued by the Choctaw Nation. Like some of these warrants, this piece was reissued after the conclusion of the war in 1866. (The Five Civilized Tribes, including the Choctaws, had supported the Confederacy). The note is signed on the front by James Riley, National Secretary of the Choctaws. Shull lists this note as Rarity-10 (5-15 known). This is a very attractive example with just a minor restoration noted by PMG.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## RHODE ISLAND

**20085 Bristol, RI- Eagle Bank \$2 Jan. 1, 1861 UNL Durand 112 PMG Fine 12.**

This deuce with a partially printed date is not listed in the Haxby reference. We have offered three Proofs from this bank over the years, but this is the first issued note to come our way. Our consignor expressed that same sentiment to us, as this is the first issued note from the Eagle Bank that he had ever seen, too. This institution would go on to become the National Eagle Bank of Bristol, charter number 1562.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20086 Bristol, RI- Eagle Bank \$5 January 1, 1851 PMG Choice Fine 15 UNL.**

An unlisted issued variety in Haxby, this appearance is the first time an example of this type and denomination has been offered. There is a G30 Proof pictured in Haxby which matches this design.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

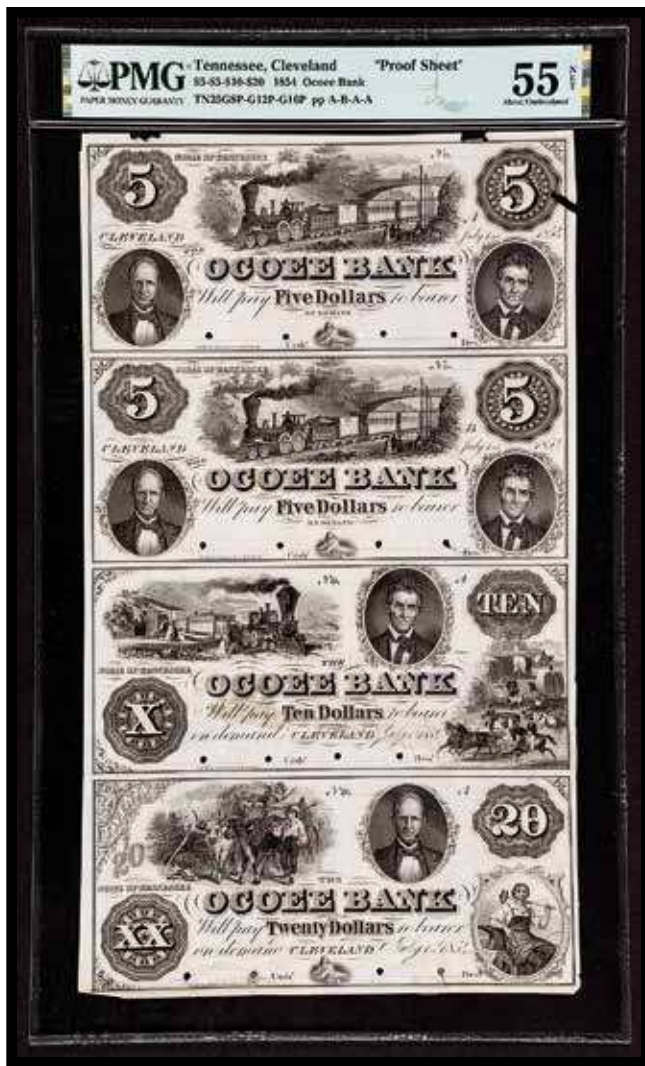
## TENNESSEE



**20087 Cleveland, TN- Ocoee Bank \$1-\$1-\$1-\$2 July, 1, 1854 G2aP-G2aP-G2aP-G6aP Garland 198-198-198-204 Proof Sheet PMG Choice Uncirculated 63, POCs**

The first example of this Proof sheet and only the second sheet of any type from the Ocoee Bank to participate in our auctions, the sheet in this lot has the red overprint and was previously mounted. It was originally offered in the ABNCo. archives 1990 auction. Each note has four POCs along the signature lines.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



20088 Cleveland, TN- Ocoee Bank \$5-\$5-\$10-\$20 July 1, 1854 G8P-G8P-G12P-G16P Garland 207-207-210-213 Proof Sheet **PMG About Uncirculated 55 Net**, POCs.

We have never before offered an example of this sheet. A couple of the engravings on this ex-ABNCo. sheet will be familiar to collectors of Confederate paper money. The back PMG label states tape repairs and tears. The back of the sheet reveals stamp hinge tape repairs performed on the \$10 and \$20 notes. Each note has four POCs in the signature block area.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



20089 Dandridge, TN- Dandridge Bank \$1-\$1-\$2-\$5 May 1, 1854 G2P-G2P-G4P-G6P Garland 275-276-278-279 Proof Sheet **PMG Choice About Unc 58**, POCs.

The auction of the ABNCo. archives in 1990 released only one Proof sheet of these denominations from this bank into the collector community, and it was described as slightly aged. This is not our current offering as the paper is completely white on this attractive black and white Proof sheet. This is the first sheet that we have auctioned from this bank that closed circa 1860. We cannot find any handling through the third party encapsulation. The bank label does mention small tears, but these were caused by a few of the punch cancels and are a common occurrence. Therefore, the small tears are "as made." Each Proof note has five POCs.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20090 Dandridge, TN- Bank of Jefferson \$5-\$5-\$10-\$20 June 2, 1856 G2aP-G2aP-G4aP-G6aP Garland 268-268-270-272 Proof Sheet PMG Uncirculated 62, POCs.**

Only the second example of this Proof sheet to be in our auctions, this is also the first since January, 2004. Our current offering was once previously mounted and has tears. This Proof sheet was part of the ABNCo. archives auction of 1990. Each note has four POCs along the signature lines.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20091 Dandridge, TN- Bank of Jefferson \$5-\$5-\$10-\$20 June 2, 1856 G2P-G2P-G4P-G6P Garland 267-267-269-271 Proof Sheet PMG About Uncirculated 55, POCs.**

This is the first time that we have auctioned an example of this sheet where the notes lack a red overprint. It is ex-ABNCo. and each note has four POCs. Edge repairs and tears are mentioned on the back label.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## TEXAS

**20092 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$1 Mar. 1, 1841 Cr. A1 Medlar 21 PMG Uncirculated 62 Net.**

This is one of the highest grade \$1 examples we've had to offer in several sales. The paper here is bright white and the centering far better than normal, with the Net grade assigned only due to the repaired cut cancels as well as a trivial amount of ink burn at the signatures. The last note we had at this grade level fetched more than \$1000, and that was almost two years ago.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



20093 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$3 May 1, 1841 Cr. A3 Medlar 23 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A beautiful, lightly circulated example of this tougher Texas denomination, this piece displays pleasing color and dark signatures. The usual cut cancels have been closed on the back with tape.

Starting Bid: \$500



20094 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$100 Apr. 25, 1839 Cr. A8 Medlar 28 PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ, CC.

The famed "Lone Star" appears on the back of this bright and original Austin C-note that has just a few light folds and the usual cut cancels. This is the plate note on page 106 of *Texas Currency: A Catalogue 1813-1868* by Joseph D. Olson.

Starting Bid: \$875



20095 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$100 Faded Cr. A8 Medlar 28 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

The popularly known Lone Star series of notes was authorized by an Act of January 19, 1839. It is likely that this series was intended to redeem notes issued by the "Government of Texas" (Houston) in 1838. Designed by Rawdon, Wright & Hatch, the notes have the firm's classic allegorical designs and ornate orange backs that showcase the series' namesake Lone Star. The \$100 depicts *Mercury* presenting a bag of coins to *Commerce* (although a case could be made for *Moneta*) who is seated next to a strongbox that serves as a seat for a Griffin. The vignette is signed by Freeman Rawdon. It is flanked by side vignettes of an early passenger train and a sailing vessel. The note is signed by James Webb as Acting Secretary of the Treasury and Mirabeau B. Lamar as President (these may be secretarial signatures). James Webb served as Secretary of the Treasury, Secretary of State, and Attorney General of the Republic. Lamar was a first cousin of Gazaway Bugg Lamar who served as an agent for the Confederacy and placed the first order for Confederate Treasury Notes and other securities with ABNCo. in 1861. PMG notes the ubiquitous cut cancels that have been discretely sealed.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$750



## Republic of Texas \$500 Beauty



**20096 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$500 Jan. 1, 1840 Cr. A9 Medlar 29 PMG About Uncirculated 53, CC.**

A bright and attractive \$500, this highly desirable note is fully margined and displays a "Funded and Cancelled" rubber stamping at center. Handling is at a minimum for the grade and the only comment on the third party label is the usual cut cancelled remark. This example is the tenth highest graded Medlar 29 that we have ever auctioned. Our most recent offering of an AU Medlar 29 occurred in April, 2020. It was a PCGS About New 50PPQ, cut out cancelled example that realized \$6,300. Our current offering should top that figure as it is third party graded a little higher and has only a cut cancel as compared to having a cut out cancel. Simply, it is a real Texas beauty.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



**20097 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$500 Aug. 17, 1839 Cr. A9 Medlar 29 PMG Very Fine 20, CC.**

The \$500 along with the \$10 and \$50 denominations of this issue, sport maritime vignettes. The cut cancels have been closed with care using small pieces of tape. This preservation has left an attractive mid-grade example of this scarce high denomination note that is on every Texas Obsolete collector's wish list. We had a PMG VF 20 Net Medlar 29 bring \$3,840 in January, 2018.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20098 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$500 Jan. 20, 1840 Cr. A9 Medlar 29 PMG Very Fine 20.**

The Lone Star of Texas appears three times on this design that is the key denomination for this issue. This is an evenly circulated and well printed example whose only flaw is some repairs of the usual cut cancellations.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20099 Sam Houston Signed Austin, TX- Treasurer of the State of Texas** \$716.62 Nov. 23, 1860 Cr. AW16 Medlar 146 PMG Very Fine 25.

The most important fact is that this warrant has a genuine signature of Governor Sam Houston on the back. This warrant is made payable for "protection of the frontier" to Peter Trimlinson as "Capt of Company of Mounted Volunteers." This example is of the Medlar variety where "Legislature" is spelled incorrectly as "Legislaturr." The Criswell-Shull reference states on page 395 that Houston's signature increases the value of this warrant by about six times. Also, Houston's signature on this warrant matches the example found on that page. The piece in this lot is pen cancelled and has ink burn, which is confined only to Trimlinson's endorsement on the back. None of this affects Houston's signature in any way.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20100 Columbia, TX- Republic of Texas Treasury Warrant** \$48 Aug. 22, 1836 Cr. C2 Medlar 7 PMG Extremely Fine 40.

An uncanceled, charming warrant with full, wide margins payable to Lieutenant Philip Condon for his service in Captain John Ingram's Company as part of the N(ew) York Battalion in Sam Houston's army. This endorsed example represents Condon's pay for the period of March 5 through August 22, 1836. The New York battalion was designated to fire the salute over the newly interred remains of the victims of the Goliad Massacre. The Acting Paymaster (Colonel) Geo. W. Poe fought at the Siege of Bexar and the Battle of San Jacinto. Later, he served as marshal of the funeral procession of Stephen F. Austin, who died of pneumonia on December 27, 1836.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20101 Houston, TX- Republic of Texas \$10** Nov. 9, 1837 Cr. H4 Medlar 31 PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.

A very scarce Medlar number for the Texas notes, we have only been able to offer this type a few times over the years. This example has had some repairs, and was previously mounted. Still, this piece faces up quite nicely for its assigned grade with boldly printed details and dark signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20102 Houston, TX- Republic of Texas \$100** Nov. 9, 1837 Cr. H10 Medlar 42 PMG Very Fine 20.

Medlar 42 makes infrequent auction appearances at best, as this is just our fourth offering of this type, and our very first since January, 2012. That PMG VF 25 cut cancelled piece fetched \$1,955. The piece in this lot is not cancelled in any form, and is made payable to Wm. G. Cooke. Cooke not only endorsed the note on the back, his signature can also be found in the pay to block on the face. This note also has the secretarial signature of Sam Houston. Cooke was made the official signer of President Sam Houston's name on promissory notes of the Republic on June 9, 1837 by the Texas Legislature. This was necessary due to a wrist injury suffered by Houston during the Creek War of 1813-14 in Mississippi Territory, now central Alabama. Cooke served in his signing position until November 11, 1839. Cooke signed his own name twice and Houston's once on this warrant.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Attractive \$3 "Change" Note



**20103 Houston, TX- Republic of Texas \$3** May 3, 1838 Cr. H27 Medlar 53 PMG Choice Fine 15.

Sensing the need for additional small denomination notes for use in commerce, the Act of December 14, 1837 authorized \$1s, \$2s, and \$3s which were printed by Childs, Clark & Co. of New Orleans. This pleasing mid-grade example, therefore, represents the highest denomination issued for these rare "change" notes. This piece has avoided the usual maladies found upon these early notes, and aside from the cut cancels, the note has solid paper for the grade and a very nice overall appearance.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**





20104 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$1 June 9, 1837 Cr. H14 Medlar 54 PMG Very Fine 25, CC.

A bright \$1, this example has sound edges and paper save for the two as usual cut cancels. Also, other than a cut cancelled comment on the back label, it is housed in a comment free PMG holder. We have auctioned two other Medlar 54 notes at the VF 25 third party grade. Both were PCGS Apparent notes with several problems and brought \$2,232 and \$2,820 in September, 2013 and April, 2015 respectively. The penned date has faded, but the attractive mid-grade example in this lot will more than likely easily outstrip those earlier results.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20106 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$3 Apr. 1, 1838 Cr. H15A Medlar 57 PMG Very Fine 25, CC.

Attrition left few survivors of this early Houston issue available for the collectors of today, with very few approaching the VF grade and even fewer retaining all of their paper. The paper at the cut cancels is still present, leaving a fully intact and attractive design. At bottom right is the secretarial signature of Sam Houston by William G. Cooke. Besides the cut cancels statement, this note is in a comment free holder. The last cut cancelled example in an otherwise comment free holder that crossed our auction block was a PMG Fine 15, CC that realized \$4,560 in January, 2020.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



20105 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$1 May 1, 1838 Cr. H14 Medlar 54 PMG Choice Fine 15, CC.

A rare note, this piece was part of the first issue of engraved notes issued by the Republic in 1838. We have auctioned only three different Medlar 54 notes over the years. In fact, tonight's example is returning to our auction block after being in our consignor's collection since our Long Beach September, 2009 auction. It is a pleasing, evenly circulated piece, whose cut cancels have been deftly closed with tape. Sam Houston's signature is secretarial as the Texas Congress authorized William G. Cooke to sign notes for President Houston when Houston's old Creek War wrist injury flared up.

Starting Bid: \$750



20107 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$3 Apr. 1, 1838 Cr. H15B Medlar 58 PMG Very Fine 20, CC.

This was the first engraved issue released by the Republic of Texas in 1838-39. Our consignor's patience paid off as he was able to claim a nice mid-grade \$3 for his collection that is comment free on the third party label save for the usual cut cancelled notation. Our last offering of a Medlar 58 occurred in January, 2015. That PCGS Apparent Fine 12 piece realized \$3,642. Our current offering may stampede right through that figure. The Sam Houston signature on this example is secretarial by William G. Cooke.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,250



**20108 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$5 Apr. 1, 1838 Cr. H16 Medlar 59 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

These notes were authorized by the Act of June 9, 1837 and were technically post notes, payable twelve months after date with a generous 10% interest rate. The note bears vignettes of *Tellus* with her foot on a globe at left, and a Native American bison hunting scene at center. PMG mentions the usual cut cancels in the signature lines, with the note bearing the secretarial signature of Sam Houston.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20110 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$10 Jan. 5, 1839 Cr. H17A Medlar 61 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ, CC.**

This is the highest third party graded Medlar 61 that we have offered in nine years. Also, seldom do these Government of Texas notes earn the EPQ grade modifier. This nicely preserved example exhibits paper originality and rightfully earned its EPQ grade modifier.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20109 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$5 June 1, 1838 Cr. H16 Medlar 59 PMG Very Fine 30, CC.**

One of the nicest Medlar 59 notes to be a part of our auctions, this \$5 is in a comment free holder save for the cut cancelled statement. There are not that many Texas obsoletes that can make that claim. The buffalo hunting vignette is always a favorite of collectors. The "Sam Houston" signature is secretarial as the Texas Congress authorized William G. Cooke to sign notes for President Houston due to his Creek War wrist injury that occurred at the Battle of Horseshow Bend in Alabama in 1814.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



20111 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$20 Dec. 31, 1838 Cr. H19 Medlar 63 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

A high grade example of this early Texas note, this piece, aside from its cut cancels, appears to have been signed this morning.

Starting Bid: \$500



20112 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$50 Jan. 1, 1839 Cr. H21A Medlar 68 PMG Very Fine 30, CC.

We have encountered this Medlar number just four times as of now, with our last offering being in July, 2017. The only comment found on the back label is that it is cut cancelled. This piece is an extremely nice representative for the grade with bright paper.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$500



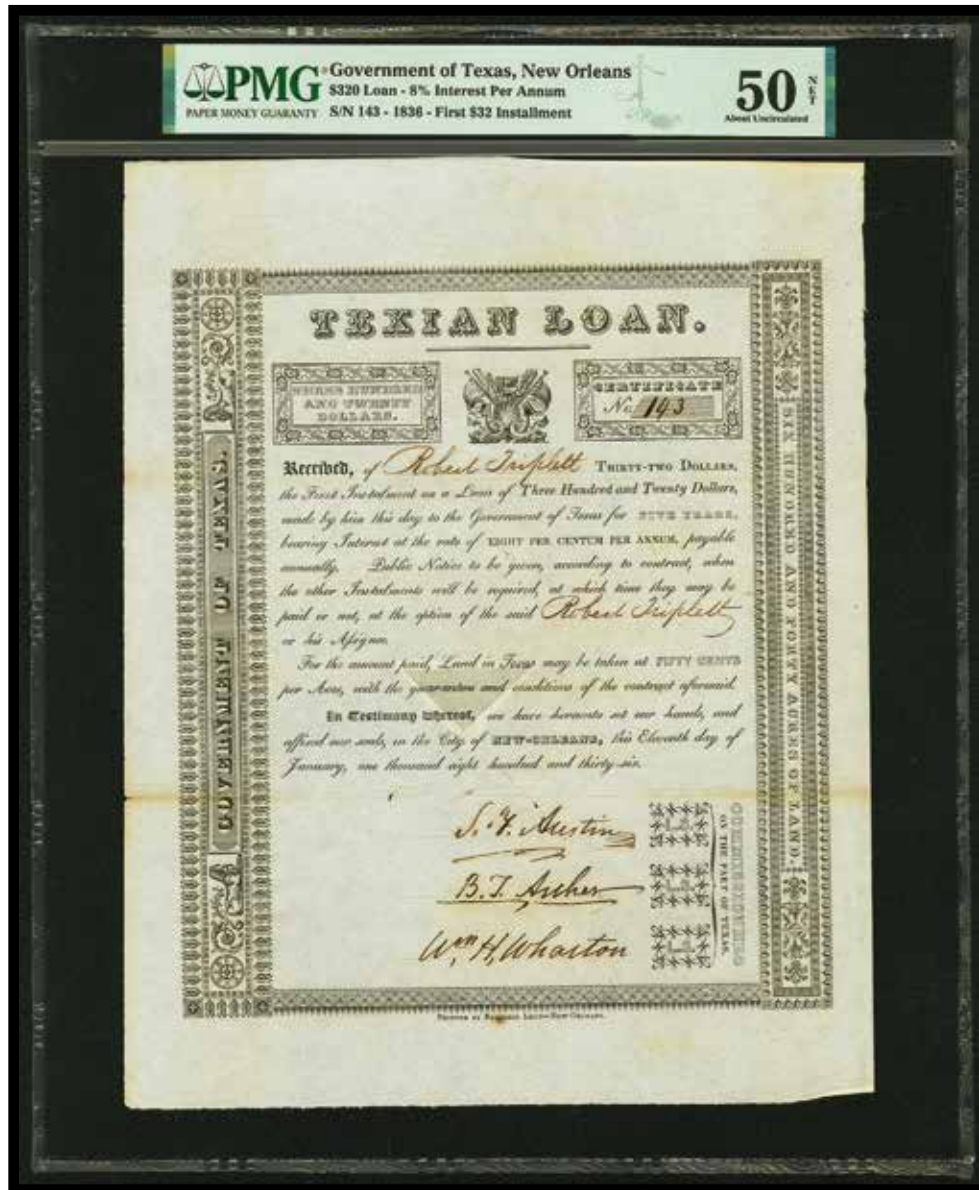
20113 Houston, TX- Consolidated Fund of Texas \$1,000 Dec. 1, 1838 Cr. CF12 Medlar 84 PMG About Uncirculated 53, CC.

This is an attractive example of this rare high denomination note. It is payable to McKinney & Williams, the largest commission-merchant firm in early Texas. They started in Quintana and moved to Galveston in 1838. For more information on Consolidated Fund of Texas notes with a simplified classification system, see the recently published, *They Took a Chance on Texas* by L. Mike Bloodsworth. This note has the usual cut cancels along with a few stains.

Starting Bid: \$500



## Elusive Texian Loan



20114 (San Felipe de Austin), TX/New Orleans, LA- Government of Texas Texian Loan \$320 Jan. 11, 1836 Cr. 36A4 Medlar UNL Bevill 4.13 PMG About Uncirculated 50 Net, CC, COC.

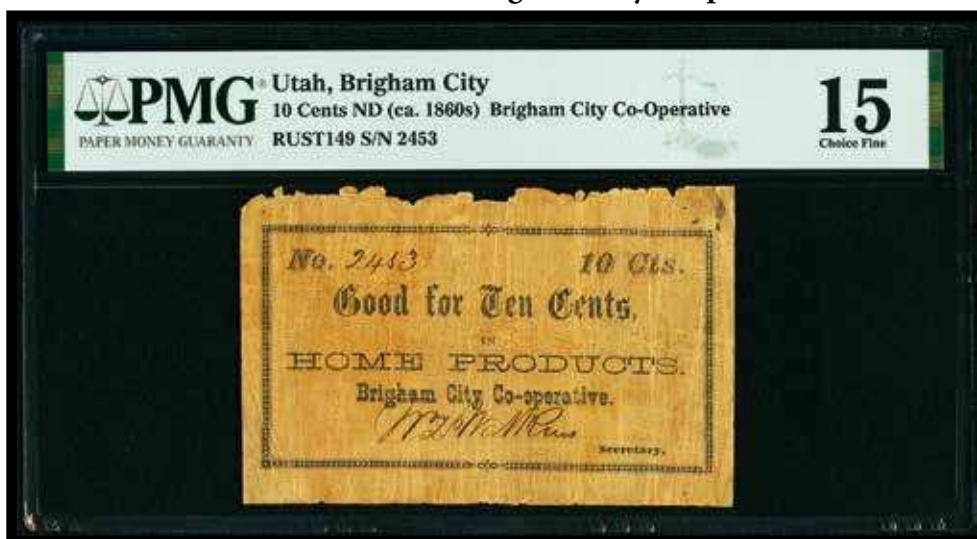
An example of the first Texian Loan that preceded the Declaration of Independence from Mexico by almost two months, this piece is serial number 143 and was printed by Benjamin Levy of New Orleans. One Robert Triplett advanced Texas an installment of \$32 on the total of \$320 due. That payment would eventually entitle Triplett to 640 acres of Texas land. The commissioners on the part of Texas that pen signed this loan were S(tephen) F. Austin, B(ranch) T. Archer, and Wm. H. Wharton. Austin, of course, is known as the Father of Texas. Kentuckian Triplett was a wealthy merchant banker and land speculator. The commissioners and Triplett were staying in the same New Orleans hotel in January, 1836, which made the financial dealings so much easier for all concerned. These eagerly pursued loans always appear in cut cancelled form. This example has ink burn in the serial number and in both Austin's and Archer's signatures. This ink burn is common for these certificates. Cut cancelled repairs have been nicely executed with tape. Also, the COC has been skillfully repaired with a piece from another loan.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$2,500

## UTAH

### Rare Mormon Brigham City Scrip



20115 Brigham City, (Utah Territory)- Brigham City Co-operative 10 Cents in Home Products ND circa 1867-75 Rust 149 Nyholm 185 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A rare piece of Mormon scrip from this cooperative that was the first co-op established in the Utah Territory. We have auctioned a paltry three other pieces from this issuer. That trio was part of the Eric Newman Collection. Each Newman note brought strong prices during the years 2015-16. Only one of those three was of the exact design and denomination as the example in this lot. The earlier offered Rust 149 graded PCGS VF 20 and realized \$8,812. Our current offering has a penned serial number of 2453 and a bold signature of Wm. L. Watkins, who served as co-op secretary from 1867-75. The note does have top edge pieces missing, but they are confined to the margin. Otherwise, it is evenly circulated and has four broad margins.

Starting Bid: \$3,000

## VIRGINIA

### Rare Odd Denomination Charlottesville \$6 Note



20116 Charlottesville, VA- Monticello Bank \$6 July 1, 1861 G16a Jones-Littlefield BC25-17A PMG Choice Fine 15.

The bank was authorized by the General Assembly in 1853 and initially operated as a free bank. While the bank survived the end of the war, its post war balance sheet suggests that it perished in the first couple of years after the war's conclusion. It did not originally issue any notes below \$5 and probably made at least limited use of its odd denomination \$6, \$7, \$8, and \$9 notes as an alternative method of making change (change for a \$10 used to make a \$2 purchase could be made with an \$8 for example). The \$6 note features two gentlemen conducting business standing next to a tobacco hogshead. While the note has seen circulation, it has survived the experience without attracting any repairs or glaring condition impairments.

Starting Bid: \$1,250





**20117 Charlottesville, VA- Monticello Bank \$7 July 1, 1861 G17a Jones-Littlefield BC25-19A PMG Fine 12.**

The bank issued a series of \$6, \$7, \$8, and \$9 notes, probably as an alternative way to make change in the absence of \$1 and \$2 notes that the bank did not issue until later in the Civil War years. The \$7 features two horses nervously eyeing an "iron horse" in the distance. This note, like its two sister odd denomination notes in this auction, has seen its fair share of time in circulation but has avoided any repairs or major damage. PMG only notes evidence of previous mounting in the form of a stamp hinge remnant on the back top margin.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20118 Charlottesville, VA- Monticello Bank \$8 July 1, 1861 G18a Jones-Littlefield BC25-21A PMG Fine 12.**

This \$8 was issued as the bank (along with many of the state's other free banks) was transitioning to issuing unregistered notes in 1860-61. This note, which features a great large allegorical vignette depicting *Music*, *Poetry*, and *Painting*, was not redesigned as the bank intended to issue new \$1s and \$2s. As a result, it was simply placed in circulation without the state treasurer signature. This example has seen time in circulation but appears to have survived the experience without attracting any repairs or glaring condition distractions.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20119 Harpers Ferry, VA- Carrell's United States Hotel Advertising Note 10 Units 1844 PMG Very Good 10.**

A scarce early advertising piece for E.H. Carrell's United States Hotel that was adjacent to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in Harpers Ferry, VA. Some as made gutter folds are seen on the face.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**20120 Jeffersonville, VA- North Western Bank of Virginia \$5 Feb. 24, 1859 G22a Jones BJ05-18 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An interesting note, this type is listed under Wheeling (where the parent bank was located) in Haxby and under Jeffersonville (where the note was issued) by Jones & Littlefield. We will opt for Jeffersonville, as the Wheeling location appears nowhere on this scarce item. Fine-Very Fine, with a sharp red overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20121 Lynchburg, VA- Merchants Bank of Virginia \$8 April 1, 1861 G8 J-L BL40-35 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A rare regular issue note, this piece is in a very pleasing grade. About two to four surviving examples are known. This denomination was represented in the Abern Collection by a PMG Good 4 that was missing a large chunk. Virginia collectors will now have an opportunity to add a problem-free example to their collection.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20122 Richmond, VA- Bank of the Commonwealth \$5 18\_\_ as G2a as Jones-Littlefield BR15-25 Proof PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The bank was authorized in 1858 and remained in business until succumbing sometime around 1862-63 according to most sources. The note features a vignette of two men having a discussion by a large hogshead of tobacco as well as an oval portrait of Washington and the state treasurer die. Other design elements such as the bank title are printed in red-orange. There is a red-orange and white FIVE protector panel. The note is printed on India paper mounted on cardstock with the usual POCs in the signature lines. This same note sold for just under \$1,500 in a 2012 sale, and the Plate B note sold for over \$2,500 in a 2011 sale.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20123 Richmond, VA- Bank of the Commonwealth \$10 18\_\_ as G4a as Jones-Littlefield BR15-30 Proof PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The central vignette of this lovely note depicts a hunter and farmer resting on a cameo shield depicting a bust of Washington. Four small POCs cancel the note along the signature lines. Printed on India paper only, the piece also shows the imprints of Bald, Cousland & Co. Philada & New York / American Bank Note Company. The stated capital of the bank was a little more than \$1 million. Although not shown on a Proof note, the officers during the short tenure of this institution were John B. Morton as Cashier and Lawson Nunnally as President.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## WISCONSIN

**20124 Madison, WI- Bank of Madison \$2 Oct. 1, 1860 G4b PMG Very Fine 20.**

When the Bank of Madison closed, apparently nearly the entire circulation of their \$1 and \$2 notes was redeemed by a successor bank or the state. Listed, but not illustrated in Haxby, this is an evenly circulated and problem-free example with nice color and solid paper.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20125 Menomonie, WI- Knapp, Stout & Co. \$1-\$2-\$5-\$5/50¢-25¢-10¢-10¢-10¢/50¢-25¢-5¢-5¢-5¢ ND Krause SC7-SC8-SC10-SC10-SC6a-SC5a-SC2a-SC2a-SC2a-SC6a-SC5a-Sc1a-SC1a-SC1a Uncut Sheet Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**

A nicely preserved uncut sheet from this lumber merchant, this item has a large amount of selvage and sound edges. The only handling is a "pinch" along the top edge. These notes are of the light green undertint variety. The Krause reference does not mention a sheet of this configuration. The \$1 and \$2 denominations are not listed in Krause with the, "Payable only at the place of business in Dunn and Barron Counties, Wisconsin." red overprint. Every note on this rare sheet has that overprint with the fractionals having the "Wis" state abbreviation and the dollar denominated notes having "Wisconsin" spelled out. The only other example of this Uncut Sheet that we offered previously was another raw Choice CU that realized \$1,437 in September, 2009.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20126 Whitewater, WI- Bank of Whitewater \$3 18\_\_ G4a Krause G4a Proof PCGS Choice About New 58.**

A delightful Proof example from the Eric Newman Collection, this piece exhibits just the slightest touch of handling through the third party holder. In April, 2020 we auctioned this example for \$1,740. We also offered a PMG AU 55 \$1 Proof from this bank in the same auction, and it closed at \$1,440. We expect more of the same results tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



# CONFEDERATE NOTES

## 1861 ISSUES

### T1 \$1000 Montgomery with Unusual Interest Endorsement



#### 20127 T1 \$1,000 1861 PF-1 Cr. 1 PCGS Banknote Choice About Unc 58 Details.

This is one of the most storied notes of the Confederate paper money series. Within days of being appointed by Jefferson Davis as Secretary of the Treasury, C.G. Memminger arranged for G.B. Lamar, a southern banker and agent for the Confederacy in New York City, to secure a contract with ABNCo. to print the fledgling nation's first currency and other fiscal documents. Due to the knowledge that hostilities could commence at any time, ABNCo. sublet the currency part of the order to National Bank Note Company. In order to expedite delivery, existing vignettes were used exclusively, and a shipment of 607 sheets of \$1000-\$500-\$100-\$50 notes was made in early April, days before the actual shooting started at Fort Sumter in Charleston harbor. The very first notes from this shipment were processed in Montgomery on April 5, 1861. It was soon realized that there was little use for such a high denomination, and so these 607 \$1000s were it; the first, last, and only \$1000 treasury notes issued by the Confederacy. Today, the census of surviving notes of this design, including this serial number, stands at around 137 notes. The note reflects the early practice of paying interest up to the date of redemption with a stamped statement indicating that the principal (\$1000) and interest for 425 days (\$42.50) had been received in Savannah. The signer's name has not been deciphered to date. While this note saw little actual circulation, it was hammer cancelled twice and these cancels have been reinforced on the back. Three additional reinforcements were made in the bottom margin, closing four POC cancels. The portions of the signatures in the area occupied by these reinforcements were redrawn. Finally, there are some mounting remnants on the back and small edge tears. All of these relatively minor distractions can not diminish the great rarity of this classic Confederate issue which is one of the required types to complete a Confederate type set. We last sold this note in our 2012 FUN Currency Signature Auction for \$20,125 and believe that level should likely be reached or exceeded tonight.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**

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## Uncancelled Montgomery T3 \$100



### 20128 T3 \$100 1861 PF-2 Cr. 3 PMG Very Fine 30.

An always popular type note, this \$100 was in the second shipment of notes which, by the barest of margins (perhaps minutes), made it out of New York harbor around April 22-24, 1861, just before federal agents raided the New York plants of the American and National Bank Note Companies, putting an end to production on April 25. National Bank Note Co. had produced this design less than three to four weeks after receiving the business on a subcontracted basis from rival ABNCo. Delivery was expedited by using all pre-war vignettes that were on hand. This example was previously mounted but the mounting evidence is minimal and should have little, if any, impact on this note's desirability. Otherwise, this note has good color and bright paper with strong signatures, and is uncanceled. With only about 200 known survivors for this denomination, this will be a welcome addition to most any Confederate collection.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**

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## Uncancelled Montgomery \$50



### 20129 T4 \$50 1861 PF-2 Cr. 4 PMG Very Fine 20.

A pleasing example of this always in demand Montgomery issue, this piece bears serial number 1399. The edges are solid, the color is quite vivid for the grade, and it offers excellent eye appeal with just some minor stains noted by PMG. The back bears an endorsement dated July 1, 1861 that appears to be by an A. J. Quinn.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**





**20130 T5 \$100 1861 PF-1 Cr. 5 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
Part of the first issue produced by the Southern Bank Note Co. of New Orleans, which was in actuality the New Orleans branch of the ABNCo, this \$100 was intended to be the replacement for the T3 Montgomery \$100 which was no longer available from the North. Production delays led to a relatively short production run of 5,798 notes. This note was signed and numbered on the last day that these notes were processed by the Confederate Department of the Treasury. A pretty note with bright paper, good color, and strong penned signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20131 Manuscript Endorsement "Capt. & ACS Ferdinand Molloy" T5 \$100 1861 PF-1 Cr. 5 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
The Type 5 \$100 was part of the first order given to SBNCo. (in actuality the New Orleans office of the ABNCo.) in the opening weeks of the Civil War. It utilizes pre-war vignettes of a passenger train, *Justice*, and *Minerva*. A green HUNDRED protector panel and two green C protectors complete the design. Only 5,798 notes were produced before production was terminated. The penned issuing statement on the back reads, "Disbursed Sep 22 / 1861 / Ferdinand Molloy / Capt(ain) & A(ssistant) C(ommissary) (of) S(ubsistence)." Captain Molloy was on the staff of General P.G.T. Beauregard. This \$100 establishes a direct link to the short-lived Confederate Army of the Potomac (whose only major engagement was the First Battle of Bull Run) that operated from April, 1861 to March 14, 1862. On the latter date, it was renamed the Army of Northern Virginia. The endorsement is darkly penned and easy to read. PMG notes that the note was previously mounted as evidenced by two stamp hinge remnants on the back.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20132 T5 \$100 1861 PF-1 Cr. 5 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
A most attractive example of this popular T5 note, this piece displays dark inks and bold signatures. Its only flaw is minor evidence of a previous mounting on the back.  
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20133 Manuscript Endorsement "Ferdinand Molloy" T6 \$50 1861 PF-1 Cr. 6 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
The penned issuing statement on the back reads, "Disbursed Sep 22 / 1861 / Ferdinand Molloy / Capt(ain) & A(ssistant) C(ommissary) (of) S(ubsistence)." Captain Molloy was on the staff of General P.G.T. Beauregard. This \$50 establishes a direct link to the short-lived Confederate Army of the Potomac that operated from April, 1861 to March 14, 1862. On the latter date, it was renamed the Army of Northern Virginia. This lightly circulated example has some minor edge damage.  
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$625**

**20134 T7 \$100 1861 PF-4 Cr. 11 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**  
PMG has graded 22 T7 notes that have achieved a grade of VF 30, but only two of those have been able to earn the desirable EPQ grade modifier. The note in this lot is one of those two. The folds show strict paper originality and the note is fully framed. Our most recent offering of a VF PF-4 occurred in August, 2020. That VF 35 EPQ example realized \$1,380. Look for tonight's offering to be at least snapping at that heels of that earlier figure.  
**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20135 T11 \$5 1861 PF-4 Cr. 44 PMG Very Fine 20 Net.**

This is a very scarce note, with only 73,355 examples issued. Printed on thick bond paper, these notes did not wear well, and many, such as this example, are repaired or restored. PMG notes that this example has been repaired with some small pieces added.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20136 T15 \$50 1861 PF-1 Cr. 79 PMG Very Fine 30, COC.**

The T15 \$50 was one of the later SBNC Co. designs, part of a four denomination \$50-\$20-\$10-\$5 sheet. Only 14,860 notes were issued before the fall of New Orleans at the end of April, 1862 emphatically terminated further production. Like all of the SBNC Co. designs, only pre-war vignettes were used. On the \$50, these included a large train vignette that was widely used prior to the war as well as allegorical vignettes of *Justice* at right and a hybrid of perhaps *Prosperity* and *Commerce* at left. A red protector panel completes the design. This note was printed on red fiber paper, as evidenced by a huge number of fibers at the left vignette. The note has two cut out cancels in the signatures, while still leaving a clean, bright, and appealing example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

**Problem-Free \$50 1861 Richmond Train Note**



**20137 T15 \$50 1861 PF-1 Cr. 79 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

This scarce uncanceled \$50 note was printed by the Southern Bank Note Company (the nom de guerre of the New Orleans branch of the ABNC Co). It is one of the more beautiful and difficult to locate design types issued by the Confederate States of America with a printing of a mere 14,860. This uncanceled example is very attractive for the assigned grade and exhibits just even, problem free wear.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



**20138 T16 \$50 1861 PF-11 Cr. 83 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only eight equal and four T16 notes higher. This pretty EPQ example lacks any signs of circulation. We had a T16 PF-12 Cr. 84 in the same PMG grade realize \$1,140 in June, 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$500**





**20139 T19 \$20 1861 PF-1 Cr. 137 PCGS Very Fine 30PPQ.**  
 Printed by Southern Bank Note Co. (in actuality the New Orleans branch of the ABNCo.), only 14,860 examples of this note design were issued Between January 8 and May 15, 1862 before production was abruptly terminated by the fall of New Orleans at the end of April, 1862. All pre-war vignettes (*Minerva* at left, *Commerce* seated by a globe at center, and a blacksmith at right) were used due to the limited capabilities of the small branch and to expedite the issue. Three red protectors were added as counterfeit deterrents. This note was part of a four subject \$50-\$20-\$10-\$5 sheet. The note has seen moderate circulation but retains a lot of brightness with unoxidized protectors. It will take any collection to which it is added to the next level.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20141 T19 \$20 1861 PF-1 Cr. 137 PMG Fine 12.**

An always popular Southern Bank Note Co. product, this \$20 had a very small issue quantity of 14,860 pieces before the fall of New Orleans brought an abrupt end to production at the end of April, 1862. This note possesses excellent color for the grade, good margins, and problem-free paper surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20140 T19 \$20 1861 PF-1 Cr. 137 PMG Very Fine 20.**

Printed by the New Orleans branch of the ABNCo. using the name Southern Bank Note Company, 14,860 of this high quality intaglio printed design were issued before the fall of New Orleans in April, 1862 silenced the presses. This hammer-cut cancelled example exhibits even wear and attractive color for the grade with strong orange protectors.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



20142 T22 \$10 1861 PF-1 Cr. 151 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.  
A deep, orange underprint is a merit of this handsome, uncanceled plate letter B T22 that resides in a comment free third party holder.  
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$500



20144 T24 \$10 1861 PF-1 Cr. 156 PMG Choice About Unc 58.  
This is a lightly handled note with the portrait of R. M. T. Hunter. The child on the right is actually a portrait of Rev. Dr. Alfred L. Elwyn as a child. Elwyn was, ironically, an ardent Philadelphia abolitionist. Apparently, the printers had this vignette available and did not realize its source. PMG has noted some slight toning to the paper.  
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$500



20143 T23 \$10 1861 PF-2 Cr. 154 PMG Very Fine 20.  
A rare note in any grade, only 20,333 of this type were issued during the first year of the war. This is a problem free, uncanceled example exhibiting even wear and decent color.  
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$875



## Rare and Popular 1861 T27 \$10



### 20145 T27 \$10 1861 PF-1 Cr. 221 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.

Hoyer & Ludwig printed a mere 8,576 examples of this design that was issued between November 26 and December 5, 1861 before production was abruptly ended. Why this design had such a short production life still puzzles students of Confederate paper money. As was the case for many of the earliest Confederate notes, all of the vignettes were pre-war engravings that had been appropriated for use by the various Confederate printers. 7,160 Ab plen \$10 notes were printed along with an equal number of Ab plen T35 \$5 "Indian Princess" notes on eight subject lithographic stones. The T27 Ab plen census included 79 serial numbers, including this one, in 2014, and has barely grown since. While the design is pretty pedestrian and the note has seen a fair amount of circulation, rarity still attracts intense collector interest. This classic rarity will take any collection to which it is added to the next level.

From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection

Starting Bid: \$4,500

## Scarce Uncancelled T-27 1861 \$10



### 20146 T27 \$10 1861 PF-2 Cr. 225 PMG Fine 12 Net.

This type is now recognized as being the rarest Confederate note, with even fewer serial numbers documented than for the T35 Indian Princess note. In fact, the T27 Fricke PF-1 variety notes were sheetmates of the T35s. Tonight's T27 offering carries the reported low serial number of 33 A12. The combination of a small printing on lower quality paper and being a workhorse denomination proved to be a recipe for the T27s to wear out quickly. Fricke states that this design is extremely rare in grades above Fine. This uncanceled note does show some staining, more so from the back.

Starting Bid: \$3,500

## T-35 \$5 1861 Indian Princess



20147 T35 \$5 1861 PF-1 Cr. 271 PMG Very Good 8.

The famous Indian Princess note, this piece represents an extreme rarity in any grade. There are a few well executed repairs found on this example that still maintains great eye appeal. It is a very pleasing, uncanceled example of this famous Confederate issue.

From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection

Starting Bid: \$3,750

## 1862 ISSUES



20148 "Manuscript Issued Tullahoma" T40 \$100 1862 PF-1 Cr. 298 PMG Very Fine 25.

Penned on the back is the statement, "Issued Tullahoma / May 19 1863." Tullahoma is not listed as a place of issue in either the *Fricke Field Edition 2014* or *Confederate Quartermasters, Commissaries, and Agents* by Michael McNeil. We have auctioned only one other manuscript "Issued Tullahoma" note. It was a T39 grading PMG 35 and realized \$3,840 in April, 2019. Tullahoma was the headquarters for the Confederate Army of Tennessee in 1863. On July 3 of that year, Confederate General Braxton Bragg abandoned Tullahoma and retreated to Chattanooga ending the Tullahoma campaign as a Union victory for the Army of the Cumberland.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



## 1864 ISSUES

### Lovely Uncut Sheet of Four T65 \$100s



#### 20149 Uncut Sheet of Four T65 \$100 1864 PF-3 Cr. 494 PMG About Uncirculated 53.

Common as single notes, the same cannot be said of uncut sheets of this late war issue. The sheet comprises four unsigned notes suggesting that this sheet was in inventory and was perhaps “liberated” when Columbia fell to Union forces on February 17, 1865. Much of the city, whether by accident or intent, was subsequently burned to the ground, making this sheet’s survival all the more problematic. In 2014, Fricke estimated a known surviving population of six to ten sheets. This thinking seems to be about spot on. We are aware of four different sheets appearing in public auctions in recent history, all with serial numbers in the 96000 range (96187 to 96878). Of the four sheets offered, this example is arguably the nicest, with PMG mentioning only splits that are quite minor and have virtually no impact on this great historic rarity’s desirability.

Starting Bid: \$3,500

## FRACTIONAL CURRENCY

### FIRST ISSUE

#### Riveting Perforated Fractional



**20150 Fr. 1228 5¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A pristine example of this First Issue Fractional, this note possesses rich brown inks, deep perforations on all sides, and an intense yellow hue that rarely is seen but on the highest quality pieces. In our Central States sale, we sold a PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ for \$2,640. That note possessed neither the broad margins nor exceptional centering wielded by tonight's offering. In our Long Beach sale, a PCGS Gem New 65PPQ sold for \$900. A single Superb Gem New 67 EPQ has been graded by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20151 Fr. 1230 5¢ First Issue Uncut Block of Sixteen PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.**

A block of 16 that had its far left column removed, this piece has only its right salvage remaining. The back plate number is 30th and the block exhibits paper originality from the drying process. We have offered three other block of 16 Fr. 1230 notes, but this is the first with any amount of salvage remaining.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20152 Fr. 1240 10¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An exceptional First Issue perforated note, this example is well margined and nicely centered. PMG has graded just two pieces at this lofty level with just two notes a single point finer.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20153 Fr. 1241 10¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

PMG has examined 158 Fr. 1241 notes with the 66 EPQ example in this lot being the second highest graded as it is only surpassed by a lone 67 EPQ piece. We originally auctioned this exceptional note in 1996 as part of the DeRosa Collection. It would return to our auction block a second time with the dispersal of the Fred Mayer Collection in September, 2007. Overall, it is a beauty and today's quality conscious market should provide stiff competition for the collector who is awarded it when the hammer falls.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20154 Fr. 1241 10¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A very scarce number, particularly in this high a grade. The perforations are deep and even all the way around, and the note has wonderful color to go along with its Exceptional Paper Quality comment. No-monogram perforated notes are extremely scarce at this grade level.

**Starting Bid: \$500**





**20155 Fr. 1241 10¢ First Issue Uncut Strip of Four PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A very important multiple, perforated strips and blocks such as this one are very rare when compared to their straight edge counterparts. We have had the privilege to offer few perforated multiples over the years. This much better Friedberg number strip possesses paper originality and great color. This lovely example is also a complete column from a sheet, retaining its selvage at both the top and bottom. We auctioned an uncut pair of Fr. 1241 PMG 58 EPQ notes in January, 2018 for \$960. Look for the uncut strip of four in this lot to realize at least twice as much.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20156 Fr. 1242 10¢ First Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only three Fr. 1242 notes at this grade level with none higher. This is a beautiful, widely margined, well inked example. These rarely turn up so nice. Margins either run along or beyond the outside frame lines with the bottom edge extending barely into the next note. Over the years we have sold several Superb Gems in the 67-69 grade range. This is clearly the one example that has the best margins and overall integrity that will please even the most curmudgeonly, old school fractional collectors. We first sold this same note for over \$1,000 in our 2012 Dallas ANA sale.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20157 Fr. 1242 10¢ First Issue Uncut Sheet of Twenty PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A full Uncut Sheet of 20, we originally auctioned this piece in May, 2005 as part of the Tom O'Mara Collection. It is a beautifully bright sheet with its full amount of selvage on all four sides. The back reveals an ABNCo. workman's fingerprint. Face plate number is 6 and the back plate number is 31st. There are minor moisture stains, but they are confined to the selvage. Nonetheless, it is still a handsome sheet that was printed at a slight left to right downward angle.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20158 Fr. 1243 10¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A truly exceptional example of a much scarcer number, this piece lacks the ABNCo. monogram. This type is somewhat more available up through the Choice CU grade, but then becomes a decidedly scarcer item, particularly in this state of preservation. Though tied with two other pieces at PMG, your cataloger can state with certainty that this is the finest piece we have sold, since we have sold those other two notes as well. This number never achieves the Superb Gem grade due to the margin tightness that is always encountered in varying degrees. In our Long Beach sale, we sold a PMG Gem Unc 65 EPQ note for \$900.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## Nearly Superb First Issue Perforated Fractional



### 20159 Fr. 1279 25¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Fully perforated and very well margined, this piece exhibits great color and excellent centering on both sides. Any nearly Superb Gem example of this better First Issue type note is a solid four-figure note.

Starting Bid: \$625



### 20161 Fr. 1310 50¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A high-denomination perforated note of impeccable quality, this offering exhibits exceptional centering, sharp perforations, and vivid green inks. PMG has only managed to grade a single note finer than this one, with three others deemed to be equal to this evening's piece. We sold the aforementioned PMG 67 EPQ note in our 2013 FUN sale, and without wanting to impugn the validity of the grading service, let's just say that this example is better.

Starting Bid: \$750



### 20160 Fr. 1280 25¢ First Issue Uncut Strip of Four PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

A second very important perforated multiple, this piece represents a scarcer Friedberg number, too. This nicely preserved example has salvage both at the top and the bottom. It is the highest graded Fr. 1280 multiple that we have auctioned, with its closest competitor being six grade points behind. That uncut pair graded PCGS 58PPQ and realized \$1,410 in January, 2017.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



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## Vertical Pair of Fr. 1310a - The Finest Graded at PMG



### 20162 Fr. 1310a 50¢ First Issue Uncut Pair PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

This pair has no folds and is well perforated, with excellent face margins and with the wide top selvage intact. This is the extremely rare perforated 14 variety. "Perforated 14" refers to the number of perforations per 20mm of edge length. The normal perforations on First Issue Notes are larger: "perf. 12," or 12 perforations per 20mm of edge length. The generally accepted history of these more-tightly-perforated notes is that they were conjured-up from two imperforated sheets by dealer Harlan P. Smith around 1890. Although there is no documentary evidence, there is considerable circumstantial evidence that Smith perforated these sheets himself. As Blake, Valentine, Limpert and Rothert listed this variety as genuine, it remains highly desirable and collectible in spite of its likely private production. This pair may be part of a vertical strip of four which was in the F.C.C. Boyd estate. This pair is tied with just one other piece as the highest graded example of Fr. 1310a from PMG. That includes both pairs and singles.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**

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## SECOND ISSUE



### 20163 Fr. 1312 50¢ First Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

This note has perfectly original paper surfaces, boardwalk margins, and ideal centering of both sides. It is the nicest Fr. 1312 that we have handled, and is sure to garner considerable collector attention when it crosses the block. PMG has graded 450 examples of this number. This 67 EPQ is one of just two pieces at the top of the census.

Starting Bid: \$750



### 20165 Fr. 1232 5¢ Second Issue PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.

The note is as fresh and nice as the day it was printed, with bright bronze surcharges, good color, and excellent centering and margins. Plate number 178 appears in the bottom left corner on the back. We have offered this note twice in the past and are unaware of any examples in higher grade at present.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Spectacular Gem Straight Edge No Monogram Fractional



### 20164 Fr. 1313 50¢ First Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

This straight edge, no monogram note is the scarcest of the sixteen First Issue varieties. Tied with a handful of others for Top Pop at PMG. The cognoscenti of this currency collecting niche have long known that Gem 1313s are so difficult to find because these notes are virtually always seen with tight margins and poor centering, qualities that immediately invalidate the possibility of a gem grade being assigned. We have long sold the typical decent Choice CU examples for somewhere around the \$1,000 figure, with rare appearances of Gem notes selling for double that amount. A great opportunity that should not be missed.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Rare Yellow Paper Essay



### 20166 Milton 2E5F.3a 5¢ Second Issue Essay PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A rare Milton number and one of two that we have sold. The other was originally sold as part of our Tom O'Mara sale. PMG has only graded a single example and this is it. This Milton number is printed on thick yellow paper from a finished face plate. These were printed using a brand new plate under particularly heavy pressure as the embossing clearly penetrates through to the back of the thick paper. The O'Mara note was a raw Choice New piece with a hinge remnant and pencil annotation on back, yet still approached a four-figure price. This vastly superior piece should be the nicest known for a very long time to come.

Starting Bid: \$625

### 20167 Milton 2E10F.4 10¢ Second Issue Experimental PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.

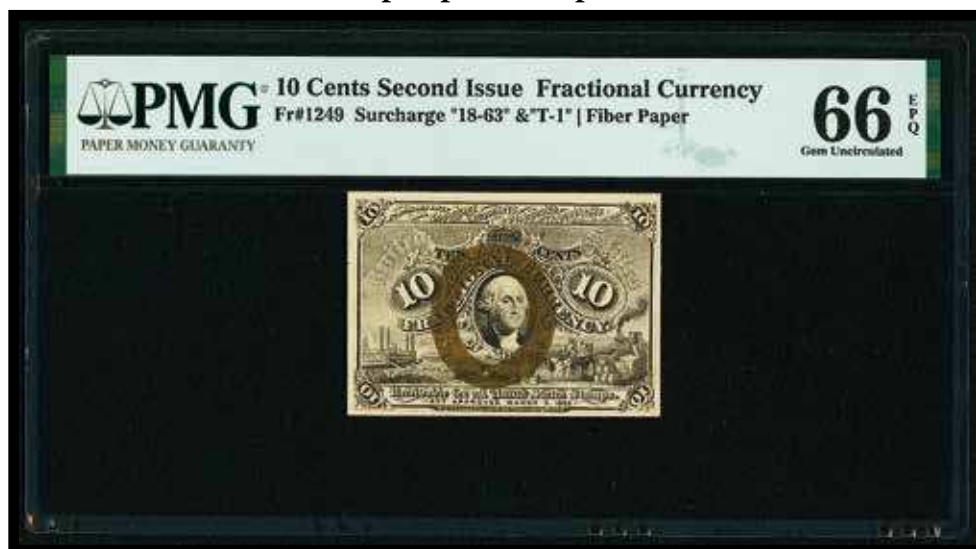
### Milton 2E25F.4 25¢ Second Issue Experimental PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.

The 10¢ note has two half-moon cancellations and blank back. The 25¢ note has the two half-moon cancellations and large skeletal "25" bronzing on the back. This is the rarest of the three basic 25¢ Experimentals. The 10¢ Experimental came from the Ford collection and the 25¢ note originally hailed from the O'Mara collection. It realized \$750 in that 2005 sale. (Total: 2 notes)

Starting Bid: \$500



## Tied for Top Pop Fiber Paper Fractional



### 20168 Fr. 1249 10¢ Second Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Exemplary quality is seen on this gorgeous fiber paper note. It has tremendous color, sizeable margins, good centering, and crystal clear surcharges. This note is tied for Top Pop at PMG with a meager two others. This is the single nicest example that we have had the pleasure to sell. The handful of Gem 65PQ pieces that we have sold over the years tend to approach or even exceed \$2,000 in value. This superlative fiber paper note should easily best that figure.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



### 20169 Fr. 1283 25¢ Second Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

The highest graded Fr. 1283 by PMG, this note is without any equals. All four margins are wide with the smallest margin area being 1mm. The bronze oval neatly frames Washington's portrait. Overall, it is an exquisite example. Our last and only experience at this third party grade level for this Friedberg number was when we auctioned a PCGS 67PPQ piece in September, 2014 and it realized \$2,820.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

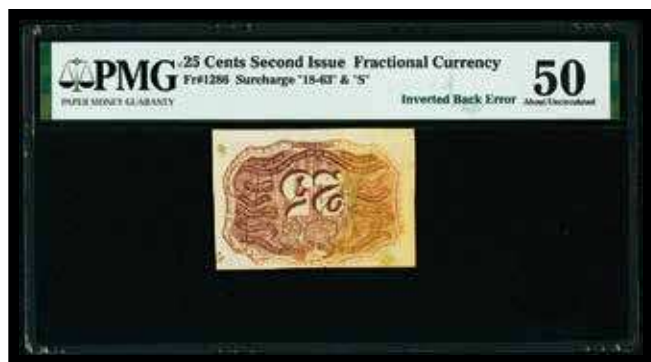
## Rare Olier Watermarked Pair



### 20170 "Olier Watermarked Uncut Pair" 25¢ Second Issue PCGS Choice About New 58.

Printed on a yellow-tan bond paper with a small portion of the Olier watermark in the top right corner of the back, this Uncut Pair is a rarity. Multiples of fractional experimentals are rare in and of themselves, but one with this distinctive watermark is indeed rare. The back of the holder notes "minor mounting remnants on back." This handsome pair sold for \$1,610 in the Ford XIX sale.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20171 Fr. 1286 Milton 2R25.3h 25¢ Second Issue Inverted Back PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

This lovely inverted back Second Issue piece traces its lineage back to CAA's offering of the Milt Friedberg Collection in 1997 where it was Lot 794. It still has a good look despite the discoloration and tear mentioned.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20172 Fr. 1289 25¢ Second Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This impressive example is the highest PMG graded Fr. 1289 without a single equal. It is fully margined on all four sides and the bronze oval is neatly placed around Washington's portrait. Another important trait is that the back surcharges of "T-1-18-63" are sharply printed.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Highest Graded Example Known to Date



**20173 Fr. 1318 50¢ Second Issue PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A common design in uncommon condition, this note looks as if it came off the press yesterday, with bright, unoxidized bronze surcharges, a vibrant red back, and nice centering on bright white paper. We have handled this example twice before and believe that it remains alone atop the population reports for this type. Eight years ago it crossed the auction block in our FUN Currency Signature Auction for just under \$2000. We have every reason to believe that it will test, and perhaps even exceed, that price level tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Lovely Fiber Paper Fractional



**20174 Fr. 1320 50¢ Second Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

PMG has graded 36 examples of this scarce number. This and two others are tied for the finest known. The note has all the attributes that one would expect for the lofty assigned grade. It also has far sharper than normal surcharges, particularly the Old English "O," which is visible down to its last detail. This broadly margined, problem-free piece has none of the typically encountered problems and exhibits nice sharp surcharges, creating great overall eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$625**





**20175 Milton 2E50R.4e 50¢ Second Issue Experimental PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

"This fiber paper experimental is Milton 2E50R.4e. It has a blank face with just the skeletal denomination "50" and bronze surcharges "R-2-18-63." The back is a carmine red with the bronze oval that normally frames Washington's face. The Friedberg reference lists it as R-8 with only two known, but there were also two in the Ford XIX sale. This one may also be new as well. Not punch cancelled or stamped "SPECIMEN." This was our description when we first sold this same example for \$2,173.75 in our 2013 Central States sale. At that time it was housed in a PCGS Very Choice New 64 holder, an assessment with which PMG apparently concurs. A great esoteric experimental fractional.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

### THIRD ISSUE



**20176 Fr. 1226 3¢ Third Issue PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

This light curtain 3¢ fractional is just stunning, with wonderful centering, large margins, and virtually perfect paper surfaces. It has certainly earned its grade designation from PCGS Banknote.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20177 Fr. 1226 3¢ Third Issue PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A lovely note with generous margins, example displays excellent centering on bright paper with original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20178 Fr. 1227 3¢ Third Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A true Gem of a note, this is an almost perfect example of the smallest note, in both size and denomination, printed by the BEP. There are two varieties of the 3¢ note, one with a light and one with a dark curtain behind Washington's head. This is the dark curtain variety, the rarer of the two. PMG has not graded another example finer than this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20179 Fr. 1272SP 15¢ Third Issue Wide Margin Specimen Pair PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ; PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This is one of the highest PMG graded pairs of Fr. 1272SP to participate in our auctions. It is also the highest PMG graded pair we have offered in eight years. The face is a little bigger than the green ink back lengthwise, and both pieces have cutting guides along the top edge. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20180 Fr. 1272SP (2); 1273-75SP 15¢ Third Issue Wide Margin Specimen Set PMG Graded.**

One of the nicer sets, consisting of a face, a green back, and a red back, that we have auctioned of these Friedberg numbers. In fact, it is the nicest PMG graded set to cross our auction block within the last nine years. The face grades **Choice Uncirculated 64** with plate number 3 in the upper right corner. The green back grades **Choice Uncirculated 64**. The Fr. 1273-75 red back weighs in at **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ**. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$600**



**20181 Fr. 1274SP/1273-5SP 15¢ Third Issue Wide Margins Specimen Pair PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ and Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**  
Without a doubt the finest Jeffries-Spinner hand signed Specimen pair we have offered, this pair is very nicely matched and the signatures are quite bold. In 2017, we sold a lone Face Specimen in this grade for \$1,527.50 and in 2012 a Back Specimen in PMG 67 brought \$1,410.00. (Total: 2 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**20182 Fr. 1291 25¢ Third Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
PMG has inspected eight other Fr. 1291 notes that have earned the 66 EPQ grade, but none higher. The last 66 EPQ to cross our auction block did so to the winning bid of \$998 in January, 2015. We also see a more recent offering where we auctioned a PCGS 66PPQ example for \$1,080 in September, 2020.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20183 Fr. 1325 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A challenging number to locate at this grade level. Our quality-conscious consignor sought out notes with wide margins, good centering, and strictly original paper quality. If you throw in wondrous inks and luminescent bronze, the description of this note is complete.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20184 Fr. 1327 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 68 PPQ.**

Right at the top of the census for either service, this Fr. 1327 is just about as nice a Spinner as we have ever seen. The margins are huge, the colors are spectacular, and the original embossing is pronounced. A required purchase for the ultimate fractional currency type set.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



## Gem Allison-New Hand Signed Third Issue Spinner



### 20185 Fr. 1330 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

Unlike most any other notes, the population of 1330s is concentrated at the high end as these were clearly not intended to be issued for circulation. They are signed by John Allison as Register and John New as Treasurer. However, Allison and New were in office together from June 30, 1875 until January 7, 1876, long after Third Issue notes had ceased to be issued. Apparently, they were signed to be given to friends or as some act of patronage. In any event, they became Legal Tender once signed, as Allison and New were legal signers. This example has excellent color and strong signatures and a bright red back.

Starting Bid: \$2,500

### 20186 Fr. 1331 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ\*.

Even, large margins are present on this Spinner note with nice bronzing and strong embossing. PMG has only graded two notes of this number higher than this example.

Starting Bid: \$500



### 20187 Fr. 1334 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

The 66 grade is the highest number yet assigned for a Fr. 1334, although this note does share the honor with five others at PMG. It's beautifully margined, with good bronze color and terrific eye appeal. Fr. 1334 is not a terribly scarce number in most grades, but is very difficult to locate at this level.

Starting Bid: \$750



### 20188 Fr. 1335 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A very wide margin on the right has allowed for the back plate number "35" to be seen in the bottom right corner. Bright paper and strong printing combine to make this an attractive note. This is one of two that PMG has graded at this level with none higher.

Starting Bid: \$500



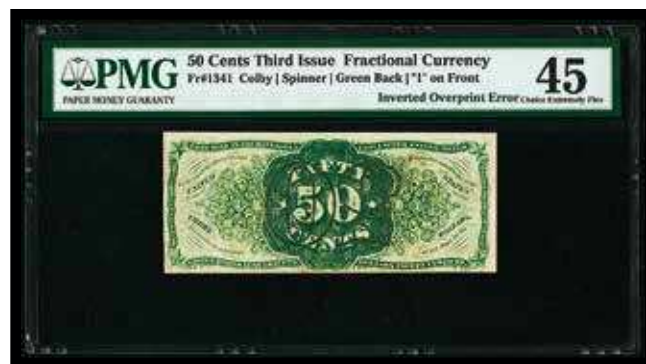
**20189 Fr. 1336 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Originally from our sale of the Gengerke Collection in January, 1995, it was described as, "A classic rarity missing from many major collections. Deep original embossing and superb printing quality is seen on both sides. There is a minor ink smear in the somewhat narrow left face margin and another at the top of the back. The four Green Back Spinners with the "A-2-6-5" surcharge are a very rare series. This "1" and "a" note appears as only one of 12 from the sheet. Seldom available in any grade, it is not likely that the opportunity to improve on this note will appear any time soon." Accompanying this solidly margined near-Gem is a "Certification of Provenance" from the Martin Gengerke Collection. The note is wholly original and features an inverted partial plate number on the back at lower left. The item count is two for one encapsulated note plus the "Certification of Provenance." (Total: 2 items)  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20190 Fr. 1340 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Type II PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only two equal and six higher of Fr. 1340. Our most recent offering of a Gem or higher example occurred in April, 2020. That night a PMG 66 EPQ piece realized \$2,400. We do not expect that kind of a result tonight, but high grade Fractionals have been bringing strong money at auction.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20191 Fr. 1341 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Type II Inverted Surcharge PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

One of three known inverts for this number, this piece is easily the finest that we have handled. Just a couple of light folds are found on this bright, well printed Fractional.  
**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20192 Fr. 1342 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Type II PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Full margins, sharp printing, and perfect color all highlight this Type II Spinner with the plate position letter "a" on the left. The bronze is flashy, and the note is perfectly centered on both sides. Only one example of this number has been graded higher by PMG than this note.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20193 Fr. 1348 50¢ Third Issue Justice PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Fr. 1348 is one of the important Justice rarities. This piece is one of the nicer examples we have had the pleasure of handling. It is beautifully bright and quite well margined for a Justice, with none of the margins so tight as to intrude into the design. It is almost totally free of the ink smears that often plague these "1" and "a" Justice notes. On balance, it is one of the nicer examples of this rare number that we have seen.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



20194 Fr. 1362 50¢ Third Issue Justice Inverted Surcharge PMG Very Fine 25.

The bronzing has oxidized pretty well on this piece, and there is some discoloration. However, this inverted surcharge overprint error is quite elusive for the Friedberg number.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## FOURTH ISSUE



20195 Milton 4E10F.2 10¢ Fourth Issue Face Cardboard Essay PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A full sheet of 20 of these Essays was discovered intact in the fall of 1985 in Massachusetts. The sheet made its way to the Grand Central Show in New York, and later was cut into pairs and singles in Memphis in June, 1986. The notes were divided up by the active Fractional collectors in attendance at that show. Many of the examples from the edge of the sheet had tears and folds, but the internal notes were perfect. The Essay in this lot was one of the internal examples. It is a gorgeous Gem with broad margins and no flaws whatever.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



20196 Fr. 1258 10¢ Fourth Issue PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 PPQ.

With great color, even margins, and excellent centering, this note is just about as nice as they come for this design.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



20197 Fr. 1259 10¢ Fourth Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

A relatively common note in a decidedly uncommon state of preservation, its vivid blue end paper adds greatly to the overall impact of this lovely example. If you are a collector who wants to acquire only the finest available items for your holdings, you will want to give serious consideration to this Fourth Issue 10¢ note. Tied for Top Pop at PMG with a mere two other pieces listed, this solid four-figure note is much scarcer at the highest grade levels than the Fr. 1257 type note.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

## Top Pop Fr. 1261 10¢ Fourth Issue



20198 Fr. 1261 10¢ Fourth Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

This stunning example is Top Pop at PMG all by itself. It has earned every point of its third-party grade. Blessed with wide margins on all sides, great centering, and bold blue fibers at the right end. In our Central States sale last year, we sold a Fr. 1257 in this same grade for close to \$3,000. That variety is much more available at the loftiest states of preservation, a fact which bodes well for the present offering.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20199 Fr. 1267 15¢ Fourth Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**  
A lovely Fractional note, this piece has beautifully broad margins all around, razor-sharp printing, ideal colors, and super eye appeal. PMG has graded over 700 of these with only eight at this level and none higher.  
**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20202 Fr. 1302 25¢ Fourth Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
Printed on unwatermarked paper, this is a high grade example of the variety with the larger 40mm Treasury Seal vs. a 38mm seal. PMG has graded only three pieces a single point finer than this pretty Fractional.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20200 Fr. 1267 15¢ Fourth Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**  
An essentially perfect Fractional, this example has beautifully broad margins all around, razor-sharp printing, ideal colors, and super eye appeal. PMG has graded more than 700 of these with just eight at this level and none higher. A solid four-figure price realization will follow this note wherever it goes.  
**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20203 Fr. 1374 50¢ Fourth Issue Lincoln PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
One of the most popular Fractional types in any grade, Gem Lincolns are extremely popular and hard to find. This note will not disappoint.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20201 Fr. 1301 25¢ Fourth Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
This is the first variety of the four Washington Fourth Issue notes. It is deceptively scarce at the highest grade levels, with PMG grading only a handful at this 66 EPQ level and only a single 67 EPQ finer. We have never sold a Superb Gem and the only other equal to this one, a PCGS Gem New 66PPQ, was sold by us for \$1,380 in our 2011 Long Beach sale.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20204 Fr. 1376 50¢ Fourth Issue Stanton PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
A paltry two percent of Stanton notes handled by PMG have achieved such a lofty grade. This is one of the most desirable fractional types, as the last several years have seen a cabal of well-heeled collectors rabidly pursuing the highest quality Stanton notes. Only a single Superb Gem has been graded better at PMG.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20205 Fr. 1376 50¢ Fourth Issue Stanton PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A wonderfully preserved Stanton note, this example has excellent centering, bold color, and deep embossing. PMG has only graded a single piece better than this one.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20206 Fr. 1379 50¢ Fourth Issue Dexter PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

"A handsome Dexter that is tied with only six others at the very top of the PMG *Population Report*. Those grading statistics become even more significant when one realizes that PMG has graded 345 of these." This is how we originally described this note when we auctioned it in April, 2014. PMG has now graded a total of 592 Fr. 1379 notes and tonight's well margined piece is tied with only seven others at the very top as PMG has examined only one other 67 EPQ in the intervening six years.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20207 Fr. 1379 50¢ Fourth Issue Dexter PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

PMG has not graded any Fr. 1379 higher and only eight others equal. The last 67 EPQ piece that we auctioned was in January, 2015, and it realized \$1,762.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

## FIFTH ISSUE



**20208 Fr. 1381 50¢ Fifth Issue PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 PPQ.**

This note must surely be as nice as the day it was printed, with great paper surfaces, excellent color, and a vibrant blue right end. Margins and centering are also what you would expect for the assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20209 Fr. 1381 50¢ Fifth Issue PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

With over 1,200 graded by PMG, this Crawford note has proven to be as abundantly common as the Fr. 1309 short key Walker. Unlike Fr. 1309, there have only been a mere seven examples that have achieved this 67 EPQ grade, with none finer. In the past few years, we have sold four Superb Gem notes, with an average price realized right around \$1,750. It would not surprise us at all to see a similar realization here this evening.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## FRACTIONAL SHIELDS



**20210 Fr. 1382 Fractional Currency Shield, With Gray Background.**

A dark wood frame encases this Fractional Shield. The colors and signatures on the notes are about average with some light toning. Still, this piece is nicer than your average Shield. Some moisture stains are seen at bottom, an effect from poor storage in the Treasury vaults and part of their illustrious story. In total, a nice surviving example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**





**20211 Fr. 1382 Fractional Currency Shield, With Gray Background.**

A nice Fractional Currency Shield, this offering shows above average color on the notes. The paper is mostly moisture-stain free. There is some foxing horizontally, which is common for surviving Shields. The matting is in good shape, with a simple wood frame.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

## MISCELLANEOUS

### Santa Anna Signed Bond Issued from New York City

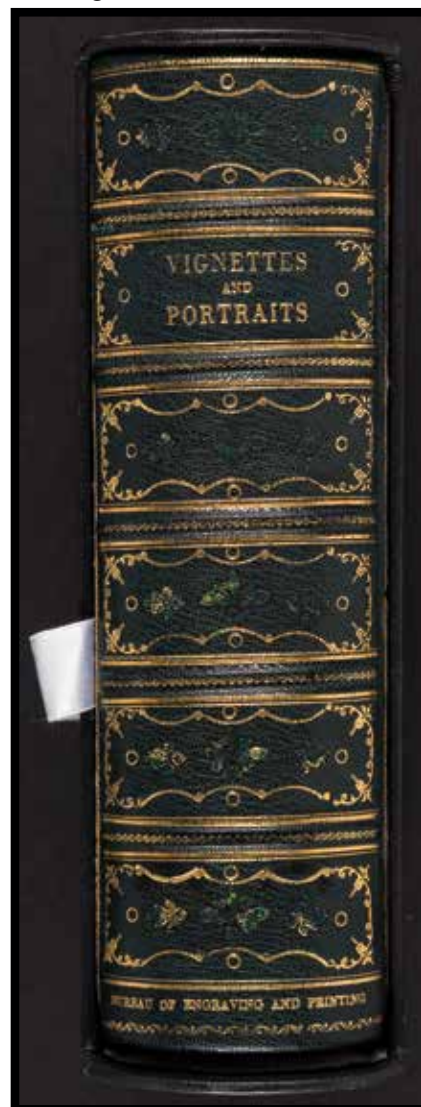


**20212 United States of America \$500 Bond. Extremely Fine-About Uncirculated.**

Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna, (1794-1876), Mexican General, Revolutionist, President and Dictator. Santa Anna boldly signs this extremely graphic bond. It is without doubt the most impressive and ornate of all autographed stocks or bonds. This \$500 bond was issued in 1866 from New York City while Santa Anna was living in exile. While he schemed to depose Emperor Maximilian, he issued these bonds in hopes of regaining power. In these attempts, he was captured and sentenced to death. Still, he was released and allowed to retire to New York where he eventually went blind and died in poverty and neglect. Of course, we remember him because of his success over the Texans at the Alamo, and later his defeat and capture by Sam Houston at San Jacinto in 1836. Found in an old leather container in Texas, this American bond is fully issued, uncanceled, and full margins. Pinholes or staple holes are noted outside the design. Two of the three folds are in the margins of the piece and also do not affect the design. A true classic and a must for any serious collection, but especially collectors of Texas history.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### BEP Vignettes and Portraits Book



**20213 Bureau of Engraving and Printing Vertically Formatted Presentation Vignettes and Portraits Book ND circa 1870s.**

Approximately 140 portraits and vignettes are found in this impressive leather-bound gilt edge BEP produced book. It was originally presented to a dignitary during the Grant Administration as the latest presidential portrait is of President Grant. Many of the portraits and vignettes can be found on United States paper money and other fiscal items. The covers show scuffing through normal use and the pages exhibit the usual foxing. The inside covers and their adjoining pages are modern replacements and they match its modern protective slipcase. We have auctioned one of these previously that was very similar. It realized \$5,462 in January, 2006. Look for this worthwhile addition to any serious collector's library to hammer in that vicinity, if not more.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



20214 *The American Bond Detector and Complete History of All the United States Government Securities Under the Sanctions of The Treasury Department Washington D.C. (Laban Heath) 1869.*

A definite rarity in American numismatics, the book receives further description of its contents on the title page continuing with, "and containing superb illustrations in genuine tints, printed at the Treasury Department, from the original dies in the possession of the government of all the bonds issued under the acts of Congress from July 17, 1861 to March 3, 1868, together with a full description of all genuine plates and complete rules for the detection of counterfeits; also, valuable plates of existing coins, and important statistical tables." Eric Newman's research confirmed the author as being Laban Heath. Nineteen plates depict genuine bonds or their elements, two depict the face and verso of a counterfeit \$1,000 bond of 1862, while the last depicts Internal Revenue stamps. The coin plates consist of five showing American colonial, state, and federal issues and four illustrating then current coins of Europe and South America. Many of the silver coins that are pictured exhibit toning due to the paper. This tome is not graded, but it is in nice condition. All plates are present including their tissue guards. A new spine has been expertly laid on and a few pages do have small edge tears. There is a small bookseller's bookplate on the inside front cover and penned on the next page is "Rare" and a price from very, very long ago. In summary, it is certainly a great example of this important numismatic book. Treasury skullduggery concerning the publication of this book can be found in Eric Newman's excellent article, "Heath's Counterfeit Detectors: An Extraordinarily Successful Comedy of Errors" that is found within *The American Numismatic Association Anthology* copyright 1991.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**

## MILITARY PAYMENT CERTIFICATE

### Top Pop \$5 Replacement



20215 **Series 521 \$5 First Printing Replacement PMG Very Fine 25.**

The *PMG Population Report* shows a meager six examples of this rare \$5 replacement. There is a single Fine 15, four Very Fine 20s, and this Very Fine 25. We have sold the Fine 15 example and two of the VF 20 notes. All three of them were net graded with significant problems. This problem free Very Fine is Top Pop at PMG and likely to remain that way for a long time. Most certainly a solid four-figure piece.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

**End of Session One**





# SESSION TWO

## NATIONAL BANK NOTES

### ALABAMA

#### Newly Reported Serial Number 1 Alabama Red Seal



**20216** Montgomery, AL - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 615 The Exchange National Bank Ch. # (S)8284 PMG Very Fine 30.

An exciting new discovery from Alabama's state capital, this piece is the first serial number 1 Red Seal to be reported from any Montgomery bank. It is just the twelfth number 1 Red Seal overall to be reported for the entire state, as well. The note is from a scarcer large-only capital city bank that issued large size only from 1906 until 1926. It has acquired a few folds, but otherwise, this "A" position note retains nice color and bold pen signatures. A great trophy note for the Alabama specialist or any collector who appreciates rare Nationals.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**

### ARKANSAS



**20217** Russellville, AL - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 11846 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

The serial number 2 example, this piece is from the first sheet of Type 2 fives printed for this just plain rare bank, the only issuer in this small town. Last on the market in our 2004 FUN auction, the note shows no real evidence of circulation, but just has the presence of an old sheet fold. It is one of just seven small size recorded from this institution, six of which are from the first sheet of Type 2 fives.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20218** Dardanelle, AR - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 606 The First National Bank Ch. # 11276 PCGS Banknote Very Good 8 Details.

An excessively rare note, this piece is from the only bank to issue in obscure Yell County. Only large notes were issued, and by the time the bank disappeared in 1934, the outstanding balance was a miniscule \$575. This offering is one of just four pieces recorded in the census. We last handled this note in our 1999 FUN auction. It does have some edge damage in its top margin, but otherwise, is very attractive for its amount of circulation.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20219 Fordyce, AR - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 652 The First National Bank Ch. # 9501 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

While somewhat available in small size, large size notes from the sole issuer in Dallas County are downright rare, with this offering one of only five pieces recorded, and the only example to be publicly offered in over ten years. It is an evenly circulated piece with solid paper and bold stamped signatures. With just \$900 outstanding in 1935, do not expect to see too many more large notes surface from here.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**

**Very Rare Arkansas \$20 Brown Back**



**20220 Fort Smith, AR - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 496 The American National Bank Ch. # 3634 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.**

Early notes are just plain scarce from any Arkansas bank, and \$20 Brown Backs are excessively rare, with the National Currency Foundation census showing just three such examples from all banks in the state combined. This is one of those notes. While its colors are a bit subdued, it certainly has enough rarity to make it a "must own" for any serious collector of Arkansas material.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**Newly Reported Serial Number 1  
Fort Smith Large Size**



**20221 Fort Smith, AR - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 623 The City National Bank Ch. # (S)10609 PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

One of the highlights of tonight's sale, this attractive serial number 1 note is just the tenth number 1 large size to be reported for the entire state of Arkansas, according to the National Currency Foundation census. It's also the first number 1 note, large or small, to surface from this Fort Smith bank. Obviously set aside many years ago by a proud bank employee, it is from the first sheet the bank issued in 1914 and displays wonderful color, dark signatures, and only the most minor traces of handling. A true trophy note for either the Arkansas specialist or a collector seeking to assemble a high-end state set of large-size Nationals.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**

**Unique in Small Size**



**20222 Harrison, AR - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 First National Bank Ch. # 10801 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A great Arkansas rarity, this is the only Series 1929 example recorded from this bank. Since this community's two other issuing institutions did not issue small size notes, this piece represents the only way for collectors to complete a set of small size Arkansas Nationals by town as well. Fortunately for collectors, this example is an evenly circulated and problem free example which is perfect for the grade. If rarity and desirability are any guide, expect bidding to easily reach and perhaps well exceed...

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



## Finest of Three Known



**20223 Hope, AR - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 600 The Hope National Bank Ch. # (S)8594 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 30.**

This small Hempstead County community, the birthplace of former President Bill Clinton, was home to three issuing banks. Two are easily available to collectors, but notes from this institution, which issued large examples only, are prohibitively rare, with the census showing just three pieces extant. One is graded as "Good" and another is graded PCGS Very Fine 20. Therefore, this offering, which last crossed the auction block in our 2009 Long Beach auction, is the finest of the trio. It is a bright, evenly circulated note with legible stamped signatures. This note presents a great opportunity for the Arkansas specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## One of Only Three \$20 Brown Backs Known from Arkansas



**20224 Little Rock, AR - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 494 The Exchange National Bank Ch. # 3300 PCGS Banknote Very Good 8.**

An excessively rare type and denomination from this state, where the current National Currency Foundation census reports only three such examples. While well circulated, this example displays no defects other than honest wear, which accounts for it being housed, appropriately, in a comment-free holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20225 Rector, AR - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 632 The First National Bank Ch. # 10853 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A very scarce note from the only bank to issue in this tiny Clay County location. It has been almost eleven years since any note, large or small, has been offered at public sale from this one bank community.

**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

**20226 Rector, AR - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 632 The First National Bank Ch. # 10853 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.**

A very scarce note, this piece hails from the only bank to issue in this Clay County community. Just six large notes are reported from Rector, none of which have been offered in any public venue since 2010. This note was last on the market in our 2003 FUN auction, and displays just honest wear.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20227 Stuttgart, AR - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 630 The First National Bank Ch. # 10459 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A new to the census example, this is the first large note from this small one bank community to be offered to the collecting fraternity in more than ten years. It's a high grade piece as well, with bright white paper contrasting with strong pen signatures. PMG mentions ink lightened, which is totally trivial and affects only a minuscule portion of the note's reverse.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## CALIFORNIA

**20228 Lodi, CA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 660 The Citizens National Bank Ch. # 12112 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

This is one of only ten notes reported from a scarcer San Joaquin County bank which issued large examples only before closing in 1925. Of the other nine pieces known, most are in low grade with two so poor as to be uncollectible. Tonight's offering is a decent mid-grade \$20 that features nice color and just honest, problem-free wear.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

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### Serial Number 1 Monterey \$10 Red Seal



20229 Monterey, CA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)7058 PMG Very Fine 30.

Among the highlights of tonight's auction, the next two lots are certainly a pair of the greatest California Nationals that we have offered in recent years. They represent an avidly collected coastal community that, while somewhat available in small size, has been downright impossible to locate in large size. Even the massive Colver and Horwedel collections missed having a large size note of any kind from this Monterey issuer. Just three large size have been listed in the census from here, none of which have made a public appearance in the past 30 years - a \$20 Date Back graded Good, a \$10 Plain Back in Very Good-Fine, and a Serial Number 1 \$10 Red Seal. (allegedly from the "A" position) Tonight, we are pleased to present two newly surfaced Serial Number 1 Red Seals from this tough charter. The first is a \$10 (from the "B" plate position), and the first number 1 note from here to ever be offered at public sale. While it has a few folds, it otherwise has everything a collector could desire - great color, bold pen signatures, and loads of eye appeal. This is truly a California trophy note fit for the finest of collections and worth whatever it takes to bring it home tonight.

Starting Bid: \$7,500

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### Serial Number 1 Monterey \$20 Red Seal



20230 Monterey, CA - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)7058 PMG About Uncirculated 53.

The second Serial Number 1 Red Seal from this downright rare California bank we are pleased to offer this evening, this one a \$20 that features vibrant color, bold signatures, and only minor traces of handling. For your cataloger, this note, and the preceding lot, represent one of the real pleasures of collecting National Bank Notes - you just never know what's going to turn up from one day to the next. Like the \$10, this number 1 \$20 is a true wonder note that will certainly excite the many Golden State collectors or anyone that appreciates great Nationals.

Starting Bid: \$8,750



## Monterey Series 1929 \$10 Type 2 Uncut Sheet



**20231 Monterey, CA - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 7058 Uncut Sheet PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The first Type 2 \$10 uncut sheet with serial numbers 1-6 for charter 7058 is in this lot. The only Series 1929 uncut sheet from this charter number to previously cross the auction block is the first Type 2 \$20 uncut sheet. It has been auctioned twice that we know of. The first time was in 1991, and the second was when we auctioned it in January, 2001 for \$9,350. Since then it has not made any other auction appearance. Illegible officer signatures are of Cashier C.A. Metz and President T.A. Work. They served together in their respective capacities during the National era from 1913-35. Bank title embossing is bold on all six notes, while a horizontal center fold in the margin between the third and fourth notes is also observed. A small hole is mentioned on the back label and is located in the margin between the fifth and six notes. A rare opportunity for the collector looking to add an uncut sheet from this bank, as this is just the third time in 30 years that an example is up for bid.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**

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### Attractive Sacramento \$5 National Gold Bank Note



20232 Sacramento, CA - \$5 1872 Fr. 1138 The National Gold Bank of D O Mills & Co. Ch. # 2014 PCGS Apparent Very Fine 30.

This is an attractive and considerably above average example from one of the more elusive National Gold Banks. The note is bright with excellent color, which comes from these being printed on yellow paper and having a red overprint. The details of the all important gold coin vignette on the back are sharp and clear. National Gold Bank Notes are usually found in VG or worse grades due to their being "good as gold." In the American West, one was more apt to hold on to one of these to the last than any other paper money. The label reads minor edge restorations which are indeed minor and require close scrutiny.

Starting Bid: \$6,250

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### D O Mills & Co. Impressive \$5 National Gold Bank Note



20233 Sacramento, CA - \$5 1872 Fr. 1138 The National Gold Bank of D O Mills & Co. Ch. # 2014 PMG Very Fine 20.

A welcome new addition to the census, this is one of the nicer notes that one could find from this charter number or within the entire class of National Gold Bank Notes. The inks remain dark, and the yellow color of the paper is ideal. The dark pen signatures are of Cashier Frank Miller and President Edgar Mills, who served in these positions together from 1872-92. We also observed that there are far fewer folds on this \$5 than on many notes with the same third party grade. The lack of folds leaves a mostly clear back vignette of gold coins. Also, the condition of the folds tell us that this example possesses paper surfaces that have not been tampered with. There are a few black ink spots on the back, but these may have been acquired when the officers were signing notes. Nonetheless, it resides in a comment free third party holder and remains impressive. The last ten years have seen only one other example of this note in this third party grade cross the auction block. It was a PMG 20 and realized \$12,675 in 2012. We believe that figure could be easily eclipsed when the gavel falls on our current offering.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



## PMG Very Fine 25 National Gold Bank Note



20234 San Francisco, CA - \$5 1870 Fr. 1136 The First National Gold Bank Ch. # 1741 PMG Very Fine 25.

A high grade National Gold Bank Note, this piece is worlds removed from the run of the mill examples that are frequently offered. This is a nicely margined and evenly circulated piece whose colors are unusually bright. The all important gold coin vignette on the back is sharp and well printed. Most importantly, it comes without any adverse grading service comments, which seldom occurs with notes in this series, regardless of grade. National Gold Bank Notes are truly scarce in this grade and higher. In our recent Long Beach auction, we sold a PCGS Very Fine 25 example, also in a comment-free holder, for \$10,200.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$3,750

## Problem Free \$5 National Gold Bank Note



20235 San Francisco, CA - \$5 1870 Fr. 1136 The First National Gold Bank Ch. # 1741 PMG Fine 12.

A totally problem-free National Gold Bank Note, the gold color of the paper contrasts beautifully with the sharp red overprint. With all these complementing features and a lack of the plethora of flaws usually seen on these well-used mediums of exchange, this is indeed a superior example for its assigned grade. This design type is ranked No. 12 in the book *100 Greatest American Currency Notes*.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## \$20 National Gold Bank Note



20236 San Francisco, CA - \$20 1870 Fr. 1152 The First National Gold Bank Ch. # 1741 PMG Very Good 10.

A just plain rare \$20 National Gold Bank Note, examples are difficult to locate in any grade. PMG notes repairs, but we have seen far worse \$20 National Gold Bank Notes bring mid-five figure prices. The all-important Gold Coin vignette on the back remains bold and clear on this well circulated example.

Starting Bid: \$4,500

## \$20 San Francisco National Gold Bank Note



20237 San Francisco, CA - \$20 1875 Fr. 1153 The First National Gold Bank Ch. # 1741 PMG Fine 12.

Any \$20 National Gold Bank Note is a significant item, even in well circulated condition such as this example. This offering has had some repair work, but still faces up quite nicely for the grade. This design ranked No. 58 in that well-executed dissertation on America's financial history, *100 Greatest American Currency Notes*.

Starting Bid: \$5,000

## Appealing \$10 San Jose National Gold Bank Note



**20238 San Jose, CA - \$10 1874 Fr. 1148 The Farmers National Gold Bank Ch. # 2158 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A rare \$10 National Gold Bank Note in this state of preservation. PMG has graded only three examples in all grades combined, a Fine 15 and two at Very Fine 20, including this example, each with the usually seen repairs. This pleasing example has had some minor restorations, but otherwise, is a very attractive note with excellent color and signatures along with a boldly defined gold coin vignette on the back. In our 2019 ANA auction, we sold a PCGS Very Fine 20 example, with the usual repairs, for \$16,800.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



**20239 San Rafael, CA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 First National Bank Ch. # 12640 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A pleasing example from this much in demand Marin County bank, which, despite receiving its charter in 1925, elected to issue Series 1929 examples only. This was the sole bank in San Rafael. This piece represents a community with far more collectors than notes, with most of the reported examples having been closely held for years. This new entrant to the census is the first Type 2 \$5 to surface from this popular California bank.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20240 Santa Paula, CA - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 498 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)4120 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An extremely scarce note, this piece hails from a Ventura County bank which issued Brown Backs and Blue Seals only before liquidating in 1924. This was the sole bank in the then agricultural community. The institution had only a limited issue, particularly of Brown Backs. Three Brown Backs are reported, a single \$5, a \$10, and a lone \$20, with this example being the \$20. It's easily the nicest of the trio, and is well margined with nice color and plenty of eye appeal for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



## Better Stockton, CA \$10 National Gold Bank Note



20241 Stockton, CA - \$10 1873 Fr. 1146 The First National Gold Bank Ch. # 2077 PMG Fine 12 Net.

A just plain scarce note from one of the National Gold Banks that is seldom available. There is some restoration work mentioned by PMG, but this is still a decent looking example that will please most any collector.

Starting Bid: \$3,000

## COLORADO

### Newly Reported Buena Vista Large Size



20242 Buena Vista, CO - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 652 The First National Bank Ch. # 8735 PMG Very Fine 30.

An excessively rare note from the sole issuer in the small central Colorado community, it represents a bank that was only in business from 1907 until the receiver arrived in November, 1931. It is just the fourth large to be reported and is easily the finest of that quartet. It is a bright and crisp note with great color and bold signatures.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



20243 Cortez, CO - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 652 The Montezuma Valley National Bank Ch. # 9100 PMG Very Fine 30.

An attractive new entrant to the census, this piece hails from the only collectible bank in this small community. It is the first large size from here to be publicly offered anywhere since 2009. The census shows just eight large recorded from this charter, none of which grades above Very Fine. Therefore, this \$20 is likely the finest known. While the stamped signatures have faded, the paper remains bright on this scarce note with just even wear.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

20244 La Jara, CO - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 653 The First National Bank Ch. # 9840 PMG Fine 12.

A tough Conejos County bank, this institution has just eight large size reported, out of an outstanding amount of \$840 in 1935. The offered note is a new addition to the census. Additionally, it is the first note from here to cross the public auction block since 2014. This moderately circulated \$20 has just a small tape repair.

Starting Bid: \$750

## CONNECTICUT



20245 Torrington, CT - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 477 The Brooks National Bank Ch. # 5231 PMG Choice Fine 15.

An evenly circulated \$5 Brown Back from this scarce Litchfield County bank, this piece is one of just a dozen single notes reported (along with a trio of uncut sheets). It is a well margined note with solid paper and attractive color.

Starting Bid: \$750

## DELAWARE



20246 Delaware City, DE - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 481 The Delaware City National Bank Ch. # (E)1332 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.

A well circulated but intact example of a better type for the state of Delaware, this nicely margined \$10 displays nice color for the grade and bold pen signatures.

Starting Bid: \$1,250

### Newly Surfaced Frederica Date Back First Offering Since 2007



20247 Frederica, DE - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 545 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)5421 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A great new addition to the census of this excessively rare Delaware bank, this is just the fourth note reported from this town's sole issuer, and the first to be publicly offered anywhere since 2007. Frederica was the host to just one national bank which issued Second Charter notes only from 1900 to 1920. Prior to this evening, only three notes were known to be extant - a \$5 Brown Back which has never appeared at public sale, a \$5 Date Back which was last sold at auction in 2005, and a \$10 Date Back which appeared at auction in both 2001 and 2007. In all three of the auction appearances, the offered notes generated five-figure realizations, attesting to the rarity and desirability of any note from this location. This new addition is an attractive, well margined, pen signed \$10 Date Back that has encountered just even wear. It presents a great opportunity for today's generation of Delaware collectors.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



## FLORIDA



**20248 Smyrna, DE - \$50 1902 Plain Back Fr. 682 The National Bank of Smyrna Ch. # (E)2381 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An excessively rare type and denomination for Delaware, this piece is one of only five \$50 Plain Backs reported for the entire state. It is an evenly circulated and solid example with nice color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20250 Arcadia, FL - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 5534 PMG Very Fine 25.**

Notes from this bank are actually scarcer in small size than large, a feature we shall see more than a few times in descriptions of Series 1929 examples from the Sunshine State. Not only were Florida banks hit hard by the Great Depression, but the sudden implosion of the real estate market in south Florida after disastrous hurricanes in 1926 and 1928, along with the collapse of the citrus industry a couple of years later when the Mediterranean fruit fly infested the groves, caused a ruinous contraction in the state's economy which affected virtually every bank in the state. As bankruptcies mounted and capital fled, many banks went belly up, with even the strongest of the institutions issuing considerably fewer small notes than large. With only eight notes listed in NBN census, auction appearances are few and far between. We sold a PMG Very Fine 25 for \$1,762.50 in our 2017 FUN sale and a raw Very Fine for \$3,450 in our 2007 FUN sale. This piece is a great small size note from a heavily collected state.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20251 Miami Beach, FL - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 Mercantile National Bank Ch. # 13828 PMG Very Fine 25.**

From very scarce late-chartering Miami Beach bank that has less than a dozen notes reported, this offering is a new addition to the census and exhibits even wear and solid paper.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20252 Quincy, FL - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 590 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)7253 PMG Very Good 8.**

Large notes only were issued from this one bank Gadsden County institution. It was the sole bank chartered in this rural county, and was closed by the receiver in 1925. To date, just a dozen or so notes are known from here, including this well circulated \$5 Date Back that has a small split repair.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

### Choice Uncirculated Georgetown Brown Back



**20249 Georgetown, DC - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 485 The Farmers & Mechanics National Bank Ch. # (E)1928 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A tough early type from any District bank, this is one of the very few Georgetown Brown Backs of any denomination we've seen in recent years. This is a most attractive \$10 Brown Back, and aside from one example in the unheard-of grade of PCGS 68, it is easily the finest Second Charter \$10 reported from this bank. It is well margined with a vivid brown overprint and bold pen signatures. Some minor as-made ink stains on the back are noted by PMG, but do not detract at all from this pretty note's overall appearance.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**

## The Finest Known from the Bank



**20253 Saint Augustine, FL - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The St. Augustine National Bank Ch. # 11420 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

This bank was considerably the smaller and weaker of St. Augustine's two issuers. The institution was rescued from insolvency by the Barnett NB of Jacksonville during the Great Depression. As is the case with many Florida banks, Series 1929 examples from this institution are considerably less common than are large notes. An even dozen notes are listed in the census in small size, with only the \$5 denomination used throughout the bank's entire history. This appears to be the finest known of the group. We sold a PCGS VF 20 for \$1,725 in our 2011 FUN sale. After a quarter century hiatus, this lovely note returns to us after selling for \$900 in our 1994 CAA January sale.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## GEORGIA

**20254 Sparta, GA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The First National Bank Ch. # 7067 PMG Very Good 8.**

A pithy census count of five notes is listed for this Hancock County institution. A large only bank which opened in 1903, it had bowed out of the business by 1923. PMG notes Paper Damage which is certainly true, but with notes such as this, since auction appearances are so infrequent, it matters very little. The only note we have sold also happens to be the finest known: a PMG Choice VF 35 EPQ that brought \$8,050 in our 2008 FUN sale.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## IDAHO



**20255 Blackfoot, ID - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The First National Bank Ch. # 7419 PMG Very Fine 25.**

An evenly circulated example from this always in demand Idaho bank, this piece is one of just a dozen large size reported and was last on the market in our May 2002 auction.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



## Excessively Rare Large Kellogg Note-One of Three Known



20256 Kellogg, ID - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)9566 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.

An exceptionally rare note from a tiny Shoshone County town, this is one of only three large examples extant from this community's only bank, which had a miniscule \$390 in large size outstanding by 1935. It has been off the market since we sold it as part of our 2004 Central States auction. Its top and bottom margins are a tad miscut, but otherwise, this \$10 has solid paper, clear signatures, and maintains an overall pleasing appearance. A great note for the Idaho specialist or anyone who appreciates rare Nationals.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



20257 Mountain Home, ID - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)6521 PMG Very Good 8.

A very scarce note from the only bank here to issue, it is also a newcomer to the census of the eight notes reported from this large only issuer. It is rather well circulated, but it is housed in a comment-free holder.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Attractive Serial Number 1 Idaho Red Seal



**20258 Rexburg, ID - \$5 1902 Red Seal Fr. 587 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)7133 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

A lovely note, this is one of only ten Serial Number 1 Red Seals recorded for the entire state of Idaho in the National Currency Foundation census. It is a bright and attractive piece, with great color, signatures and eye appeal. In our 2018 Central States auction, we sold the "C" position note from the number 1 sheet in a PCGS About New 53 holder for \$10,200.

**Starting Bid: \$4,500**

## Third Reported Idaho 1882 \$10 Date Back



**20259 Wallace, ID - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 540 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)4773 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

A wonderful new discovery, this is only the third 1882 \$10 Date Back to be reported for the entire state of Idaho, and the first example for this Shoshone County bank. According to the National Currency Foundation census, just two other \$10 Date Backs had been reported - one each from Payette and St. Anthony - until this evening. This is a bright, moderately circulated example, excellent for the grade. PMG mentions a few pinholes but they are of little consequence considering the rarity and desirability of this rare Idaho National.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20260 Weiser, ID - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 643 The Weiser National Bank Ch. # (P)8139 PCGS Banknote Choice VF 35.**

This is one of only six notes in the census of the second of Weiser's two banks. It is considerably the scarcer of the pair. The note is tied for the finest of that small group, and aside from some minor edge damage, is very attractive for the grade, with vibrant color and bright paper.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



## ILLINOIS



**20261 Dixon, IL - \$50 1902 Date Back Fr. 671 The Dixon National Bank Ch. # 1881 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A scarce Lee County institution with fewer than a dozen and a half notes listed in the NBN Census, the bank opened in 1871 and managed to survive until the end of the small size era. A community once known as Dixon's Ferry, it was an important militia staging point during the Black Hawk War in the 1830's. Closer to our own day, this was the boyhood home of Ronald Reagan, 40th President of the United States. It appears that this offering very well may be the finest piece known from the bank.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20262 Dixon, IL - \$20 1929 Ty. 2 The City National Bank Ch. # 13856 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

This Lee County farming community was located just off of I-88. A small size only bank, this institution came to the party late, and only issued Type Two notes. Eight examples are enumerated in the NBN Census, with this piece easily being the nicest example. The only other example we have sold was a very problemed Good-Very Good that realized over \$400 fifteen years ago.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20263 Kansas, IL - \$1 Original Fr. 382a The First National Bank Ch. # 2011 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A lovely and colorful Kansas, Illinois Ace. As with all of the notes from this collection, this piece is dripping with eye appeal and framed by Gem sized margins. Despite being a "hoard" note, this is the nicest example Original series note to be offered from this bank in at least five years.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## Cut Sheet of Six



### 20264 Kansas, IL - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The Kansas National Bank Ch. # 9293 Cut Sheet of Six.

We have had only two Series 1929 notes from charter number 9293 cross our auction block. The last piece that we offered graded PMG 64 EPQ and realized \$1,920 at our CSNS 2018 auction. Each nicely preserved example in this lot sports white paper, dark inks, and strong embossing. Five of the notes grade PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ and the plate letter B piece earned a grade of PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ. A lack of small size notes from this Edgar County bank can be attributed to the fact that Cashier T.S. Wright and President B.H. Pinnell took this small town institution into receivership in December, 1930. (Total: 6 notes)

Starting Bid: \$2,500



### Third Reported Little York Note



20265 Little York, IL - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 545 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)6065 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

An excessively rare note from the only issuer in this obscure Warren County locale, this is just the third piece to be reported from this short-lived institution and the first example to ever appear in one of our auctions. Prior to this evening, just two notes were known from this bank that operated from just 1901 to 1916 - a \$20 Second Charter Date Back that last appeared at auction in 1991 and a raw Fine-Very Fine \$10 Brown Back that crossed the auction block in 2017 where it fetched \$3,818. This \$10 Date Back is a welcome new addition to the census and features great color and bold signatures. A great opportunity for the Illinois specialist.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

20266 Monmouth, IL - \$50 1902 Date Back Fr. 670 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # (M)4313 PMG Very Fine 25.

A moderately circulated and very attractive high denomination example from this just plain rare Warren County bank, this note is one of only five large size reported. PMG has added a comment about restoration, but any such repairs are not readily discernable on this pleasing mid-grade \$50.

Starting Bid: \$750

### Newly Reported Normal, IL Large Size



20267 Normal, IL - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 656 The First National Bank Ch. # 4930 PMG Fine 12.

This one bank university community has always been exceptionally difficult to obtain, with small notes the rule from here. Until this evening, just four large size had been reported with the last offering occurring in our 2019 FUN auction, where a PMG Very Fine 25 Plain Back fetched over \$3,000. Tonight, we are pleased to offer the fifth reported large from this perennially popular location. Displaying just plenty of honest wear, it exhibits good color and solid paper for the grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

### Bright & Original First Charter \$10



20268 Paris, IL - \$10 1875 Fr. 416 The First National Bank Ch. # 1555 PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.

This note is from a run of about 25 closely grouped serials from this Edgar County issuer that was laid back long ago and documented in the census as "CU." The hoard also includes its \$20 sheet mates. Organized in 1865, this bank lasted until 1885, issuing the \$1 through the \$20 in the First Charter designs. All the known survivors are from the 1875 series, in the \$10 and \$20 denominations. Tonight's offering is a lovely, well margined piece that made its last public appearance in a 2006 auction where it was also called Choice AU. It would fit quite nicely into a CU set, with no evidence of handling seen through the holder.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,375

## Newly Reported Pekin \$100 Brown Back



20269 **Pekin, IL** - \$100 1882 Brown Back Fr. 523 **The German-American National Bank** Ch. # (M)3770 **PMG Very Fine 25**.

A great new addition to the census for this always in demand ethnically titled bank, this is the first \$100 Brown Back to be reported. This type and denomination is not especially scarce for the state of Illinois, but outside of the major cities, it is prohibitively rare. Aside from a few pinholes, this a most attractive example with great color and dark pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**

## Newly Reported Peoria Lazy Deuce



20270 **Peoria, IL** - \$2 Original Fr. 387a **The Mechanics National Bank** Ch. # 1117 **PMG Very Fine 20**.

This is just the third note to be reported from this just plain rare First Charter-only Peoria bank that closed its doors in 1884. With the two known notes being an Original Series ace and a five, this becomes the first Lazy Deuce to surface from this charter. Fortunately, it is as pretty as it is rare with great color, solid paper, and bold pen signatures. It is certain to be of great interest to the many collectors of this popular locale. **PMG Choice Very Fine 35**.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



20271 **Prophetstown, IL** - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 **The Farmers National Bank** Ch. # (M)6375 **PMG Choice Fine 15**.

A common enough bank in small size, the institution is actually very scarce in large, and even more so as a Red Seal. This is just the third example of this type to surface from here, but more importantly, it is the first of those three Red Seals to ever appear at public sale, according to Track & Price. This offering shows just even wear and exhibits a bold overprint and dark signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

20272 **Sparta, IL** - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 **The First National Bank** Ch. # 7015 **PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ**.

A very scarce attractive mid-grade note, this piece represents this small one-bank town in Randolph County which has always attracted great interest from the collecting community. This example is new to the census and exhibits nice color and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



## Attractive Serial Number 1 Vermilion Date Back



20273 Vermilion, IL - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 596 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)10365 PCGS Extremely Fine 40.

A pretty, pen signed serial number 1 Date Back from this Edgar County bank, this piece comes from the first sheet of notes the bank issued after it opened its doors in 1913. One of two number 1 notes recorded from this bank, it is easily the finer of the pair with just a few light folds.

Starting Bid: \$1,500

## Three Large Size Known



20275 Witt, IL - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 654 The Witt National Bank Ch. # 10264 PMG Very Fine 20.

This is the only example from this Montgomery County institution to appear at public auction in the past two decades. Third Charter Tens and Twenties were issued from this large only bank, which happened to be fairly short lived, opening in 1912 and closing its doors in 1928. A meager trio of notes are known, with the last to appear a VG that we sold for about \$800 in 2001. The other listed piece sold for a whopping \$15 in the historic 1946 Barney Bluestone sale.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20274 Wheaton, IL - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 9368 PMG Very Fine 25.

This very scarce Du Page County bank issued only Type 1 \$10 notes in small size before succumbing to the Depression in January of 1933. Just nine Series 1929 notes are recorded from here, including this evenly circulated example that made its public most recent appearance in our May 2000 auction.

Starting Bid: \$750

## INDIANA

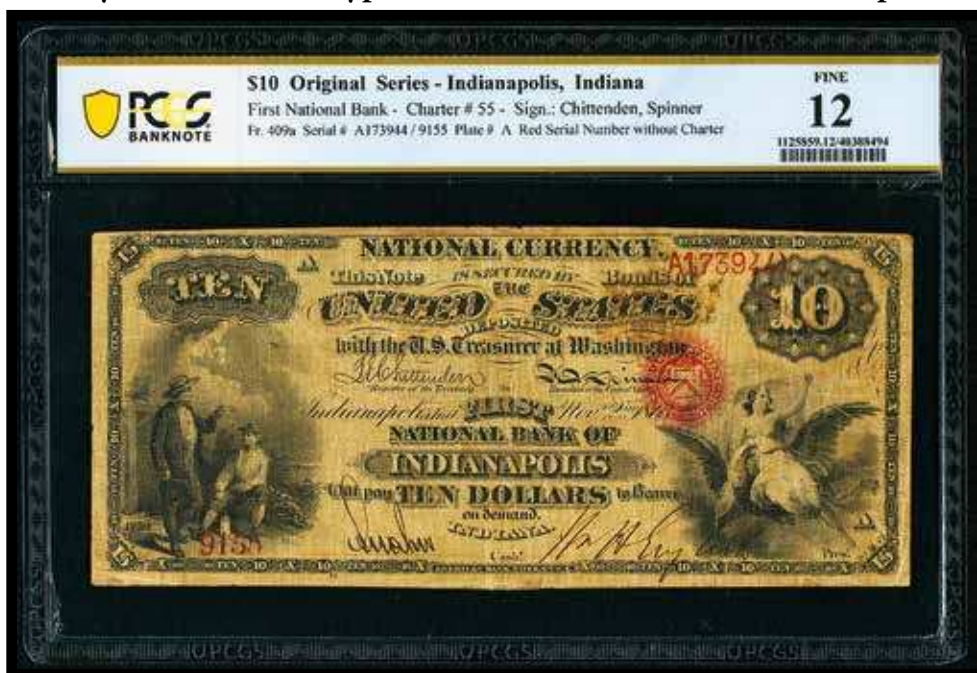


20276 Evansville, IN - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 661 The National City Bank Ch. # (M)12132 PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.

A simply lovely note, this piece has everything a collector could desire. Perfect white paper contrasts with a deep blue overprint, while the signatures are bold, and the embossing is simply cavernous. This widely margined note is certainly the finest large size we have ever offered from this Evansville bank.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## Very Scarce Fr. 409a Type from Rare First National of Indianapolis



### 20277 Indianapolis, IN - \$10 Original Fr. 409a The First National Bank Ch. # 55 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.

Representing one of the scarcer of the first hundred charter banks, this note is in a much better condition than normally seen as well. The note is one of only two \$10 Originals reported from here and the first of that pair to be publicly offered since 2003. Bank rarity aside, this is very a scarce and very underrated type which is seldom available from any bank. It is designated as Fr. 409a by type and is outnumbered by its Series 1875 counterparts, especially in the higher grade ranges, by a factor of ten to one or more. In fact, we have only seen four other Fr. 409a's pass through our auctions. This example is an evenly circulated, well margined and absolutely problem free piece that is guaranteed to please.

Starting Bid: \$3,750



### 20278 Lafayette, IN - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The National State Bank Ch. # 930 PMG Very Fine 30.

Bold penned signatures of C.B. Phelps and M. Fowler add a lot to the aesthetic appeal of this bright and colorful note. This Tippecanoe County institution opened in 1865. It operated for two decades and closed in 1885, having produced only First Charters. This is easily the finest example we have sold, with the only close competitor a PMG VF 25 from the Q. David Bowers collection that we sold in 2014 for over \$1,800. A real head turner.

Starting Bid: \$750



## Unique \$10 First Charter



20279 Lebanon, IN - \$10 1875 Fr. 420 The Lebanon National Bank Ch. # 2660 PMG Very Fine 20.

This is one of just five notes known from this prohibitively rare bank, which received its charter at the very end of the First Charter period. The institution issued First Charters, Red Seals, and 1902 Date Backs before bowing out in 1910. It has been a dozen years since we have seen another note from this bank appear for public sale. This piece has been blessed with wide margins, good color, and boldly penned signatures. The only note we have sold was a \$20 First Charter, grading About Fine, that sold for \$5,750 in our 2006 FUN auction. This offering represents a great opportunity for an astute Indiana collector. It may be several years before another such note comes available, if this worthy piece slips through your fingers this evening.

Starting Bid: \$1,250

## First Offering Since 2005



20281 Cedar Rapids, IA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The First National Bank Ch. # 500 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A welcome new entrant to the census, this piece is from this excessively rare Cedar Rapids bank which issued First Charters and Brown Backs only before liquidating in 1886. Just four notes are listed in the census, with one of that quartet permanently ensconced in the Higgins Museum. More importantly, this is the first note from this tough charter to be publicly offered since 2005. It displays just honest wear and retains good color and bold, oversized pen signatures. An important note for the Iowa specialist or any collector of First Charter aces.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20280 Rochester, IN - \$5 Original Fr. 399a The First National Bank Ch. # 1952 PMG Choice Fine 15.

Neatly penned, blue bank officers' signatures of E.P. and A.C. Copeland are featured on this pretty Original Series \$5 note. This Fulton County bank was chartered in March of 1872 and issued only \$65,800 before liquidating in January of 1876. Just \$283 in notes were outstanding from the bank in 1910. We have only sold two notes before, a PMG Fine 15 with a tear that realized \$1,610 in our 2010 ANA auction, and a nice Extremely Fine that topped the \$5,000 figure in our 2005 FUN auction. A great note.

Starting Bid: \$750



20282 Charles City, IA - \$5 1875 Fr. 401 The First National Bank Ch. # 1810 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

Despite nice First Charter \$5s known from the bank, this is among the nicest examples. It is the finest third party graded example to be offered in a half decade. The colors are vibrant, with nice embossing.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,250



**20283 Des Moines, IA - \$5 1875 Fr. 405 The Des Moines National Bank Ch. # 2583 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A nice looking 1875 \$5, this piece is from an Iowa community where Ronald Reagan once worked as a radio announcer for Station WHO. The Equitable Life Insurance Company was founded here in the 1860's, and today Des Moines ranks as an important center of activity within the insurance industry. Vibrant ink colors and bold pen signatures grace this pretty First Charter note whose only flaw is a few pinholes.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20284 Dubuque, IA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)317 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This is one of a very small run of Uncirculated 1902 Date Backs from this Dubuque bank, only one of which has crossed the public auction block in over ten years. That lone appearance was in our 2019 Long Beach auction where another PMG Choice Unc 63 note fetched \$1,620. This is a lovely, well margined note with great color and dark printed signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20285 Forest City, IA - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 499 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)4889 PMG Very Good 8 Net.**

Though well circulated, this is one of only two Brown Backs of any denomination reported from this Forest City bank which lapsed into receivership in 1925. There are only a dozen large extant of all kinds from this charter. The brown overprint remains quite bold on this \$20 that has some edge damage.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Rare Jewell Junction Large Size - First Public Offering



**20286 Jewell Junction, IA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 633 The First National Bank Ch. # 5743 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An excessively rare large size note from a small rural Iowa bank that failed in 1933, this is the first piece to ever be publicly offered. While Track & Price lists just one large from this community's sole issuer, the latest Ehrhardt/Sweeney census of Iowa Nationals does show four notes extant. However, as we said, not a single large from here has ever crossed the auction block, indicating that these other reported notes are all in strong hands. This Plain Back displays nice color for the grade, along with bold pen signatures. PMG has mentioned some minor splits, but they are more than offset by the rarity and the opportunity for a collector to finally take home a large size note bearing one of the great Iowa town names.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



## KENTUCKY

### Newly Reported Georgetown Red Seal



**20287 Georgetown, KY - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 615 The Georgetown National Bank Ch. # (S)8579 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A great new addition to the census of this rather scarce Scott County bank, this piece is only the second example of this type to surface from here. We have offered some significant Kentucky collections in the past yet none of them contained a Red Seal from this bank. Fortunately, it is also a most attractive piece with bright, original paper, great color, and dark stamped signatures. The only other known Red Seal from this charter, a \$20 which was a raw Very Fine, fetched over \$5,500 at its last auction appearance in 2008.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**

### Pleasing Louisville, KY \$100 Brown Back



**20288 Louisville, KY - \$100 1882 Brown Back Fr. 530 The Louisville National Banking Company Ch. # (S)5161 PMG Very Fine 30.**

An evenly circulated \$100 Brown Back with excellent colors and sharp signatures, this note is a perfect example to represent this scarce and in demand type.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20289 Louisville, KY - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 537 The National Bank of Kentucky Ch. # (S)5312 PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Bold embossing and perfect colors are seen on this Kentucky 1882 Date Back. PMG's census reveals there are just three finer examples of this Friedberg number type for all banks in the United States combined. Add perfect penned signatures and huge margins, and this note has everything the Kentucky or even U.S. type specialist needs.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**20290 Louisville, KY - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 537 The National Bank of Kentucky Ch. # (S)5312 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Large margins, dark inks, and brilliant white paper give this beautiful near-Gem Date Back the look of a fully Superb note. If not for a couple of pinholes, this otherwise fully original note would likely have received PMG's EPQ designation.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20291 Owenton, KY - \$100 1902 Date Back Fr. 689 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)2868 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A welcome new addition to the census for this Owen County institution that issued only the high denominations, this piece is just the ninth large size to be reported. All notes in the census for this bank are \$100s, and this is the first of that group to cross the auction block in almost ten years. It is an attractive mid-grade \$100 with nice color, bold signatures, and solid serial number 777. PMG has mentioned minor repairs, but nothing is readily apparent.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## LOUISIANA

### FNB of Jefferson Parish \$5 Type 2 Uncut Sheet



**20292 Gretna, LA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank of Jefferson Parish Ch. # 13732 Uncut Sheet PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

An Uncut Sheet has not crossed the auction block from this late charter number since 2005. The serial numbers on this sheet are A017887-92. It is the fifth to the last sheet issued by the Treasury Department to this institution. There are very few uncut National sheets documented for Louisiana. We know of only seven charter numbers in the state that today have intact Series 1929 sheets. Also, this sheet is not currently listed among the three different examples recorded in Track & Price for this bank. The sheet in this lot was once folded down to the size of a single note, probably in order to facilitate storage in an envelope. This was a common practice in the past by lucky sheet recipients. Those folds are between the notes, but this piece has also picked up some more handling. The back label mentions pinholes which are confined to the fifth note. Nonetheless, it is an important Louisiana sheet which should be strongly considered by not only Louisiana collectors, but also other National collectors who are attracted by rarity across state lines.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



## MAINE

### First Reported Lazy Deuce



20293 Bath, ME - \$2 Original Fr. 387 The Marine National Bank Ch. # 782 PMG Very Fine 20.

A new to the census example from this tougher large-only Bath bank that barely has a dozen notes reported, this piece is also the first Deuce to be reported. Pleasing color, clear pen signatures, and more than decent margins for a First Charter note from a New England state make this offering worthy of strong consideration.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

### Seldom Offered Boothbay Harbor Date Back



20294 Boothbay Harbor, ME - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 545 The First National Bank Ch. # (N)5598 PMG Very Fine 20.

A great Maine rarity, this is the sole example from this one bank coastal community to have been publicly offered in almost 50 years. While a half dozen notes are recorded from this charter, only this piece has made any public appearance since 1972. The face on this evenly circulated Date Back is most attractive, while the back has some wallet staining over about half its surface. Considering it last crossed the public auction block in our May 2002 auction, it may be some time before another opportunity presents itself.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

### Elusive Mid-Grade Madison, Maine 1882 \$10 Brown Back



20295 Madison, ME - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 485 The First National Bank Ch. # (N)4647 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

A peach of a note from the only issuer in this rural central Maine community, it represents a very elusive charter that was only in business from 1891 until 1907. This offering is just the sixth note to surface from this tough charter. Madison has been a mill town focusing primarily on paper products for the past century, but today, it hosts the largest greenhouse in Maine covering 24 acres. This is a crisp, well margined piece with pleasing color, original surfaces, and bold pen signatures. In our 2019 Central States auction, we sold another \$10 Brown Back in a PCGS Very Fine 30 holder with some light staining for \$3,840.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



20296 Searsport, ME - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 504 The Searsport National Bank Ch. # 2642 PMG Very Fine 30.

The Searsport NB was the sole National Bank in this historic and quite lovely community. Offerings of any kind have been few and far between over the years. The sole example of this type and denomination in the census, this colorful, evenly circulated \$20 Brown Back still sports delicate pen signatures that are quite legible.

Starting Bid: \$750

## MASSACHUSETTS



**20297 Abington, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 469 The Abington National Bank Ch. # 1386 PMG Very Good 10.**

The sole Brown Back of any denomination reported from this scarce and always popular Plymouth County bank. It has sustained just plenty of honest wear and has nice color for its assigned grade.

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**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20298 Amherst, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The First National Bank Ch. # 393 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A great new addition to the census from the sole issuer in this community in western Massachusetts, it becomes the finest Third Charter note reported from this Hampshire County bank. Natural paper wave and embossing define this well printed Plain Back.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Serial Number 1 Amherst Small Size



**20299 Amherst, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 393 PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.**

We are pleased to offer three great new additions to the census of this western Massachusetts bank, as this note and the following two lots are the first serial number 1 examples of any type to be reported from this Hampshire County charter. This first piece is the "A" position note from the first sheet of small size \$5s and in remarkable condition with only a couple of light storage folds.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Serial Number 1 \$10 Amherst Small Size



**20300 Amherst, MA - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 393 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

The second of this great trio of newly reported serial number 1 notes we are offering from this Hampshire County bank, this bright, well embossed piece is the "A" position note from the first sheet of small size \$10s issued by this bank.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



## Serial Number 1 Amherst Small Size



20301 Amherst, MA - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 393 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

The third attractive serial number 1 example from this Hampshire County bank, this one represents the top note from the first sheet of small size \$20s issued by this charter. Also new to the census, it features bright paper, bold embossing, and only minor traces of handling.

Starting Bid: \$875



20303 Boston, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 385 The National Bank of North America Ch. # 672 PMG About Uncirculated 55.

Exceptionally well margined for a Massachusetts ace, this piece offers incredible eye appeal, with the colors, paper quality, and signatures of a note obtained from the bank this morning. Single digit serial number 4 comes as a bonus on this pretty note that has only had a small ink stain lightened.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20302 Andover, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The Andover National Bank Ch. # (N)1129 PMG Very Fine 25.

A new addition to the census of this scarce Essex County bank that has just nine notes reported, it is a pleasing mid-grade Plain Back with nice color, solid paper, and dark printed signatures. Three years ago, we sold another \$5 Plain Back in a PMG Very Fine 30 holder for \$3,840.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20304 Boston, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The Columbian National Bank Ch. # 1029 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.

A high grade Boston First Charter Ace, this piece hails from an institution which closed its doors in 1898. This example, which is new to the census, has a bold red overprint and delicate black signatures of the officers. The typical New England trim is seen on three of its margins.

Starting Bid: \$750



20305 Braintree, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Braintree National Bank Ch. # 11347 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

A very much scarcer Suffolk County bank in small size than large, this institution has just ten pieces reported in the census, most of which are in low grade. This lovely example is a happy exception, as it is the only 1929 Series note from this popular charter to have been awarded at least a CU grade.

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**Starting Bid: \$750**



20307 Canton, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 384 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # 663 PMG Fine 12.

An evenly circulated 1875 ace, this piece represents a scarce Norfolk County bank that issued large only before liquidating in 1916. It is a new addition to the census of just a dozen or so notes reported, and the third example of this type and denomination to surface from here. It exhibits nice color for the grade with three tight margins.

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**Starting Bid: \$750**



20306 Canton, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 384 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # 663 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.

A bright and original 1875 ace, this piece is a new addition to the census for this scarce Norfolk County bank. Aside from three tight margins, it is a most pleasing First Charter note with great color and solid embossing, as PMG attests with their comments "Exceptional Paper Quality & Embossing" on the holder of this very lightly circulated ace.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



20308 Canton, MA - \$2 1875 Fr. 391 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # 663 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A new entrant to the census, this piece is just the second Deuce to be reported from this scarce Norfolk County bank that issued large only before liquidating in 1916. It joins just a dozen or so notes currently extant from this tough charter. The finer of the two Deuces now known, it exhibits attractive color and bold pen signatures. A small tape repair has been noted by PMG, but it is not at all distracting.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,375**





20309 Canton, MA - \$10 1875 Fr. 416 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # 663 PMG Very Good 10.

An attractive new addition to the census of this scarce large only bank, this piece is the first 1875 \$10 to be reported. This bank took its interesting name from the nearby Neponset River whose falling waters provided the energy for the country's first water-powered grist mill, gunpowder mill, paper mill, and the Revere Copper Company. It is an evenly circulated piece whose only detracting factor is the typical New England trim. From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes Starting Bid: \$875



20311 Canton, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # 663 PMG Very Fine 25.

Another \$5 Brown Back from this large-only Canton bank, this offering displays an entirely different bank title layout than the previous lot, a practice that was employed by the BEP during the late 19th Century on \$5 Brown Backs. It is an attractive, evenly circulated piece that should be seriously considered by the winner of the previous lot as the two notes would make a great display item together.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes Starting Bid: \$875



20310 Canton, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # 663 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A great new addition to the census of this scarce large-only Canton bank, this offering is the fourth \$5 Brown Back to be reported. It is easily the finest of that quartet and exhibits bright paper, deep ink colors, and dark pen signatures.

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## First Reported Canton Red Seal



20312 Canton, MA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # (N)663 PMG Fine 12.

Another very nice addition to the census for this scarce, large-only Canton bank, this offering is the first Red Seal of any denomination to be reported. It displays just plenty of honest wear and retains a bold overprint and dark signatures.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes Starting Bid: \$750

## Rare Chelsea Brown Back



20313 Chelsea, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 471 The Winnisimmet National Bank Ch. # 4074 PMG Very Fine 20.

This is a great new addition to the census of this excessively rare Suffolk County bank. This institution was only in business from 1889 until its liquidation in 1907. Therefore, the bank had issued Brown Backs only. Prior to this evening, just two notes were known from this charter, both \$5s. Only one of that pair has ever been publicly offered. Tonight, we are pleased to offer the third note to appear from this obscure charter. Originally called Winnisimmet, this community located directly across the Mystic River from Boston, changed its name to Chelsea in 1739. The bank decided to pay homage to the town's original name by including it in its title. This \$5 exhibits attractive color and bold signatures, with just a few small tears in the fold lines. A great note for the Bay State specialist. Starting Bid: \$2,000



20314 Dedham, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The Dedham National Bank Ch. # 669 PMG Very Fine 20.

A new addition to the census, this piece joins a handful of Original Series ones reported from this large-only charter. It faces up nicely with good color and clear signatures, but does have a repaired tear and was previously mounted on the back.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$750



20315 Dedham, MA - \$2 Original Fr. 387a The Dedham National Bank Ch. # 669 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A scarce Norfolk County bank, this institution issued large size only before closing its doors in 1924 and being succeeded by Charter 12567. This lovely note is one of just two Deuces reported from this charter and is easily the finer of the pair. Last on the market in our September 2000 auction, it is a most appealing note with bright paper, great color, and unusually large margins for a New England First Charter note. It certainly has the appearance of an even higher grade within its holder, and in short, it's a real winner of a note.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$1,750

## Serial Number 1 Dedham Large Size



20316 Dedham, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 The Dedham National Bank Ch. # 12567 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A most attractive serial number 1 example, this piece hails from this late-chartering Norfolk County bank that succeeded Charter 669. It is new to the census and is also the first number 1 note of any type to surface from here. Representing the "A" plate position from the first sheet issued by the bank upon its opening in 1924, it was obviously set aside by a proud bank officer as it is well preserved with nary a hint of circulation. A great Bay State note fit for the finest of collections.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$1,750



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### Serial Number 1 Dedham Small Size



20317 Dedham, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The Dedham National Bank Ch. # 12567 PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A great companion piece to the number 1 large size from this Boston area bank that we are also offering this sale, this serial number 1 example is the "A" position note from the first sheet of small size \$5s issued by the bank. It is a bright, well margined note with no obvious evidence of handling.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

Starting Bid: \$750

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### Excessively Rare Dorchester Note



20318 Dorchester, MA - \$5 Original Fr. 394 The First National Bank Ch. # 156 PMG Very Fine 20 EPQ.

This attractive Original Series \$5 comes from one of the toughest to find Massachusetts banks we have ever offered. It is represented only by an Original Series \$1 note, which we sold in our 2019 FUN auction for \$10,200, and by a pair of Original Series fives, the first of which we sold back in 2008 for just under \$15,000, the second is this example, which was obtained by our consignor out of our 2011 Long Beach auction for \$8,625. This bank, which was chartered in 1863, had the distinction of being the second National Bank in Massachusetts to fail, which it did in 1868 after less than five years of operation. This is a bright and original example, a truly rare note worthy of a very strong bid.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

Starting Bid: \$4,000

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**20319 Dorchester, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

A lovely Original Serial ace, this piece is from a bank which issued First Charters only. It is a bright and original note with vibrant ink colors and dark pen signatures. The tight New England trim hardly detracts at all from the overall eye appeal of this pretty note.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20321 Dorchester, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Fine 12.**

Another ace from this Boston area bank, this example is of the 1875 persuasion. It exhibits a swath of blue end paper, which is particularly evident on the back, along with sharp ink colors. Some small rust stains on the back have been noted by PMG.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20320 Dorchester, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An ace from one of the most avidly collected banks in the state. Aside from its New England trim, this is an evenly circulated and problem free example with nice color for the grade.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



## Unique Dorchester Lazy Deuce



20322 Dorchester, MA - \$2 1875 Fr. 390 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

When we sold this attractive Lazy \$2 in our May 2001 auction, we said: "A rare and lovely Lazy Deuce from a bank with only First Charters from this issuing location. Only a literal handful of notes are known, with this the only deuce. This is just a beautiful note, with its vivid colors accented perfectly by the blue end paper visible at left. It's easily as visually appealing as most twos sold as Uncirculated." Almost twenty years later, it's still unique and just as lovely, a note truly worthy of the finest of collections.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

Starting Bid: \$2,500



20323 Haverhill, MA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 485 The Merchants National Bank Ch. #(N)4833 PMG Very Good 10.

This is one of just three notes reported from what is by far the rarest of Haverhill's seven issuing banks. It does have a small corner tear, but also displays nice color for the grade and maintains an overall pleasing appearance.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## Third Reported Hingham Note



20324 Hingham, MA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The Hingham National Bank Ch. # (N)1119 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

This newly discovered example is another great highlight from the extensive Massachusetts collection we are offering this evening. It comes from an excessively rare Plymouth County bank with just two notes listed in the census - both 1875 \$5s, neither of which have been publicly offered in almost 20 years. It is a bright and colorful example, which has retained excellent eye appeal and fully original paper surfaces. For the Massachusetts collector, they don't come much rarer or more desirable than this attractive Date Back.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20325 Holyoke, MA - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 594 The Park National Bank Ch. # (N)4703 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A gorgeous note, this piece is easily the finest large size example we have seen or heard of from this Hampden County bank. It just exudes originality with wonderful color, crackling fresh paper, and deep embossing.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20326 Milford, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The Home National Bank Ch. # 2275 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

One of the classic hoard notes which have given collectors an opportunity to own a high grade First Charter ace for decades, this is a perfect type example with blazing colors and ample margins all around.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,250

## PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ 1882 \$10 Brown Back



20327 Milford, MA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 487 The Home National Bank Ch. # (N)2275 PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A nicely pen signed example of a high grade note not usually associated with this bank for type, as most saved from here were 1875 issues. Not much can be improved upon as the margins are large and colors bold.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



20328 Milton, MA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 480 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 20.

The census here makes for interesting reading, with a passel of First Charters known bearing the first title, and a bunch of Blue Seals reported with the second title, with just one exception. This \$10 Brown Back, which we sold in our 2005 FUN auction, (and which Track & Price mistakenly lists as a Red Seal), is the only Second Charter note known with the bank's second title. At the time, we said that this note was likely to remain unique for some time to come and that prediction still holds true today. It is well margined with even wear and nice color for the grade.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes

Starting Bid: \$1,000



## First Small Size Offering Since 2003



20329 Milton, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.

Tonight, we are pleased to offer three notes representing three different denominations from this well collected Boston area community that bears this Suffolk County bank's second title. While a dozen or so large are known with the second title, this offering is one of just three small size (and an Uncut Sheet) reported from this issuer that liquidated in September of 1930. More importantly, of that small group, only one example has ever been publicly offered. That was back in 2003 when the \$10 in the following lot was sold. One of those three reported notes, this \$5 is an evenly circulated example that retains bright paper and original surfaces.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



20330 Milton, MA - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 20.

The second example of this very rare trio of downright rare small size notes, this is the only one of three to have ever crossed the auction block. That lone appearance was in a 2003 auction, and the note has been held by our consignor since that time. It is a pleasing mid-grade \$10 with solid paper and good color. With the \$5 offered in the previous lot and the newly reported \$20 in the next lot, this auction presents an unprecedented opportunity for the Boston area collector.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



20331 Milton, MA - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 20.

The final note in this very rare trio, this piece also represents a great new addition to the census for this tough Boston area bank that elected to close its doors in 1930. It's just the fourth individual small size note to surface from here and the second \$20. Like the two previous lots, it exhibits just honest wear and solid paper for the grade. Another great opportunity for the Massachusetts specialist.

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20332 Natick, MA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 485 The Natick National Bank Ch. # (N)2107 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

This is just the second note we have been able to offer from this scarce Middlesex County bank in over twenty years. It's a new addition to the census of this large-only bank that was the sole issuer in this community before it liquidated in 1916. Just the second \$10 Brown Back to be reported, it is a quite lovely note with bright paper, a rich brown overprint, and original paper surfaces.

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20333 Plymouth, MA - \$5 1902 Red Seal Fr. 587 The Old Colony National Bank Ch. # (N)996 PMG Fine 12.

Only two Red Seals are found in the Track & Price Census for this charter number with a historical bank title. Those two Red Seals are this \$5 and a single \$10. Penned signatures are of Cashier George L. Gooding and President C(harles) G. Hathaway. This example is evenly circulated on both sides.

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20335 Plymouth, MA - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 The Old Colony National Bank Ch. # (N)996 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A classic name appears on this wonderful historically titled institution. This is just the third Red Seal to be reported from this always in demand charter, and the only \$20. We sold the only known \$10 Red Seal, in a PMG Fine 12 holder, for \$1,800 in our 2017 Long Beach auction. This is an attractive mid-grade note with just a small repair.

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### Rare Plymouth Red Seal



20334 Plymouth, MA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The Old Colony National Bank Ch. # (N)996 PMG Very Fine 20.

A classic name appears on this wonderful historically titled institution. This is one of only two Red Seals reported from this always in demand charter and the only \$10. The other known Red Seal, a PMG Fine 12 \$5, fetched \$1,800 in our 2017 Long Beach auction, reflecting the popularity of this bank.

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Starting Bid: \$1,000



## Serial Number 1 Provincetown Uncut \$20 Type 2 Sheet



**20336 Provincetown, MA - \$20 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 736 Uncut Sheet PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

From this Barnstable County bank located on Cape Cod, this offering was previously unreported, a serial number 1-6 uncut sheet. In 2015, we auctioned the other two known Type 2 serial number 1-6 uncut sheets from this charter number. In January of that year, the PMG AU 55 EPQ \$5 sheet realized \$28,200, and in April, 2015 the PMG Choice AU 58 EPQ \$10 sheet fetched \$22,325. Our higher grade current offering is beautiful, with paper originality that includes ideal color. The only handling viewed through the third party holder is tiny bottom corner folds. We expect stiff competition for this \$20 sheet and see it receiving a winning bid in line with the two earlier auction appearances.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**

**20337 Quincy, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380b The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A scarce early note from this Boston area bank, this offering is easily the finest Original Series ace to surface from this charter. It is unusually well margined for a New England note, and exhibits bright paper, great color, and loads of eye appeal.

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**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Newly Reported Quincy First Charter



**20338 Quincy, MA - \$5 1875 Fr. 401 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

Another seldom seen early note from this otherwise available Quincy bank, this piece is just the second First Charter example of any type or denomination to be reported. It's the first 1875 \$5 to surface, and a nice one, with great color and plenty of eye appeal. PMG mentions a minor restoration, but any such repair is more than offset by this note's overall pleasing appearance.

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**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20339 Quincy, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

High grade small size examples abound, but not so for large size from this Boston area bank. This is a lovely piece whose bold blue overprint contrasts nicely with its bright, white paper.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Serial Number 1 Quincy Small Size



20340 Quincy, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

The first serial number 1 example of any type to be reported from this Norfolk County bank, it comes from the first sheet of small size \$5s issued by the charter. It does have a few light storage folds, but otherwise, is bright and original.

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Starting Bid: \$750

## Attractive Quincy Lazy Deuce



20342 Quincy, MA - \$2 Original Fr. 387 The National Granite Bank Ch. # 832 PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.

A lovely Lazy Deuce from this uniquely named Suffolk County bank, this piece is one of just seven notes reported from this charter, and the only \$2. A large-only affair, this Quincy bank elected to close its doors in 1912. Only seven notes are currently reported. While it does show the typical New England trim, this Deuce, which has been held by our consignor since a 2002 auction, is a bright and crisp note with almost all of its original ink colors and bold pen signatures.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



20341 Quincy, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380 The National Granite Bank Ch. # 832 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.

A welcome new addition to the census, this piece hails from this scarce Quincy bank that issued large notes only before liquidating in 1912. It is a bright and original First Charter ace that is quite lovely despite the usual New England trim. It displays excellent color and overall eye appeal.

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Starting Bid: \$1,500

## Rare Randolph First Charter \$5



20343 Randolph, MA - \$5 Original Fr. 397 The Randolph National Bank Ch. # 558 PMG Choice Fine 15.

An evenly circulated Original Series \$5, this piece is from an excessively rare Norfolk County bank that issued First and Second Charter notes only before liquidating in 1893. To date, just three, or possibly four notes, are reported from the sole issuer in this Boston area community - two First Charter \$5s, including this example, and one or two 1875 \$20s. The two \$20s are listed in the Track & Price census just one serial number apart, and since neither has ever crossed the public auction block (until this evening), it is very difficult to determine if they are indeed two different notes or simply a mistaken duplicate entry. Either way, this is the only Original Series \$5 known from this rare charter and is making its first public appearance. Aside from the typical tight margins, it has plenty of eye appeal for the assigned grade.

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Starting Bid: \$750



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## Beautiful and Rare Randolph 1875 \$20



**20344 Randolph, MA - \$20 1875 Fr. 431 The Randolph National Bank Ch. # 558 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A second example from this very rare Randolph bank, this one is a quite lovely 1875 \$20. While two \$20s are listed in the Track & Price census, they are just one serial number apart. Since until tonight neither has ever crossed the public auction block, it is very difficult to determine if they are indeed two different notes or simply a mistaken duplicate entry. Either way, this pretty 1875 \$20 is one of those entries. It is a most attractive piece with vivid color, bold signatures, and light, even wear. In fact, the only comment on the PMG holder is the accolade "Good Color", with which we wholeheartedly agree. This is a very eye appealing example of a better type and denomination that represents a very rare bank as well.

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**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

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## Second Reported Rockland Note



**20345 Rockland, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 470 The First National Bank Ch. # 3868 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

Another wonderful note from this great Massachusetts collection, the offering is just the second reported piece from the sole issuer in this South Shore community. The First National was a short-lived affair, issuing Brown Backs only during its brief existence from 1888 until 1907. Prior to this evening, just one note was reported from this charter, a \$5 that appeared in a 1998 Lyn Knight sale and hasn't been seen since. The lovely note we are pleased to offer this evening becomes just the second reported from this excessively rare bank. Fortuitously, it is as pretty as it is rare, with bright paper, vibrant color, and fully original paper surfaces. It also bears an appealing bank title layout which, according to the research by pioneer collector Doug Walcutt, is known as Group 7 - Script Payment Clause which was placed on \$5 Brown Back plates only between early 1887 and mid-1888. Another wonderful Bay State national that is truly fit for the finest of collections.

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**Starting Bid: \$2,500**

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20346 South Weymouth, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The First National Bank Ch. # 618 PMG Very Fine 30.

A very scarce note from a charter that issued large size only before closing in 1916, it is one of fewer than a dozen notes in the census, and one of four Original Series aces reported. However, of those four aces, none has been offered in any public venue since 2001. This attractive piece is one of the four reported notes and is easily the finest of that quartet. It features three unusually large margins, bright paper, and flashy ink colors.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



20348 South Weymouth, MA - \$5 1902 Red Seal Fr. 587 The First National Bank Ch. # (N)618 PMG Very Fine 20.

A pleasing example, this piece represents the only Red Seal of any denomination reported from this scarce Suffolk County bank that issued large size only before closing in 1916. A bold red overprint and attractive pen signatures are found on this note that does have some repairs and minor splits.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$750



20347 South Weymouth, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380b The First National Bank Ch. # 618 PMG Very Fine 25.

A nicely margined Original Series ace from this Norfolk County bank, this piece exhibits nice color and solid paper. It has been in the census for a considerable amount of time, but this is its first public offering.

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Starting Bid: \$750



20349 Weymouth, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The Union National Bank Ch. # 510 PMG Very Fine 30.

A very pretty 1875 ace from this scarce Boston area bank, this note is the finest of the nine notes in the census. PMG mentions a minor repair which is, most likely, a closed edge split but that small flaw affects nothing on this eye appealing ace that has large margins, great color, and bold pen signatures. It also has a nice swath of blue end paper which is very pronounced on the back.

From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes  
Starting Bid: \$1,500





**20350 Weymouth, MA - \$2 Original Fr. 387a The Union National Bank Ch. # 510 PMG Very Good 8.**

A scarce Suffolk County bank that has just two Deuces recorded out of a total population of a mere nine large is represented in this lot. This piece is a new addition to that small group, and while it does have a tape repair and the usual tight margins, it also has excellent color for the grade along with clear pen signatures.

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**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20352 Weymouth, MA - \$20 Original Fr. 427 The Union National Bank Ch. # 510 PMG Very Good 8.**

Another early note from this very scarce Suffolk County bank, this piece is the only Original Series \$20 listed in the census. It represents a very scarce type and denomination that is not often seen in unimpaired condition. This is a well circulated example that has managed to avoid the problems usually found on these early notes that spent a considerable amount of time in the channels of commerce.

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**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20351 Weymouth, MA - \$2 1875 Fr. 390 The Union National Bank Ch. # 510 PMG Fine 12.**

Another Lazy Deuce from this very scarce Boston area bank, this one is of the Series 1875 persuasion. This evenly circulated and solid example is making its first ever auction appearance and features nice margins and clear pen signatures.

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**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## MICHIGAN



**20353 Whitman, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 602 The Whitman National Bank Ch. # 4660 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A great note, this piece represents one of the very scarcest communities in the state. This thinly capitalized institution was Whitman's sole National Bank, and one which had a meager \$510 outstanding in large notes in 1935. The census shows just four large examples extant. This piece is one of that quartet and is crossing the auction block for the first time. It has had some repairs according to PMG, but otherwise, maintains an overall pleasing appearance. In our 2018 FUN auction, we sold another \$5 Plain Back, albeit in a PMG Very Fine 30 holder, for \$6,000. Here is an opportunity for the disappointed underbidders.

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**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



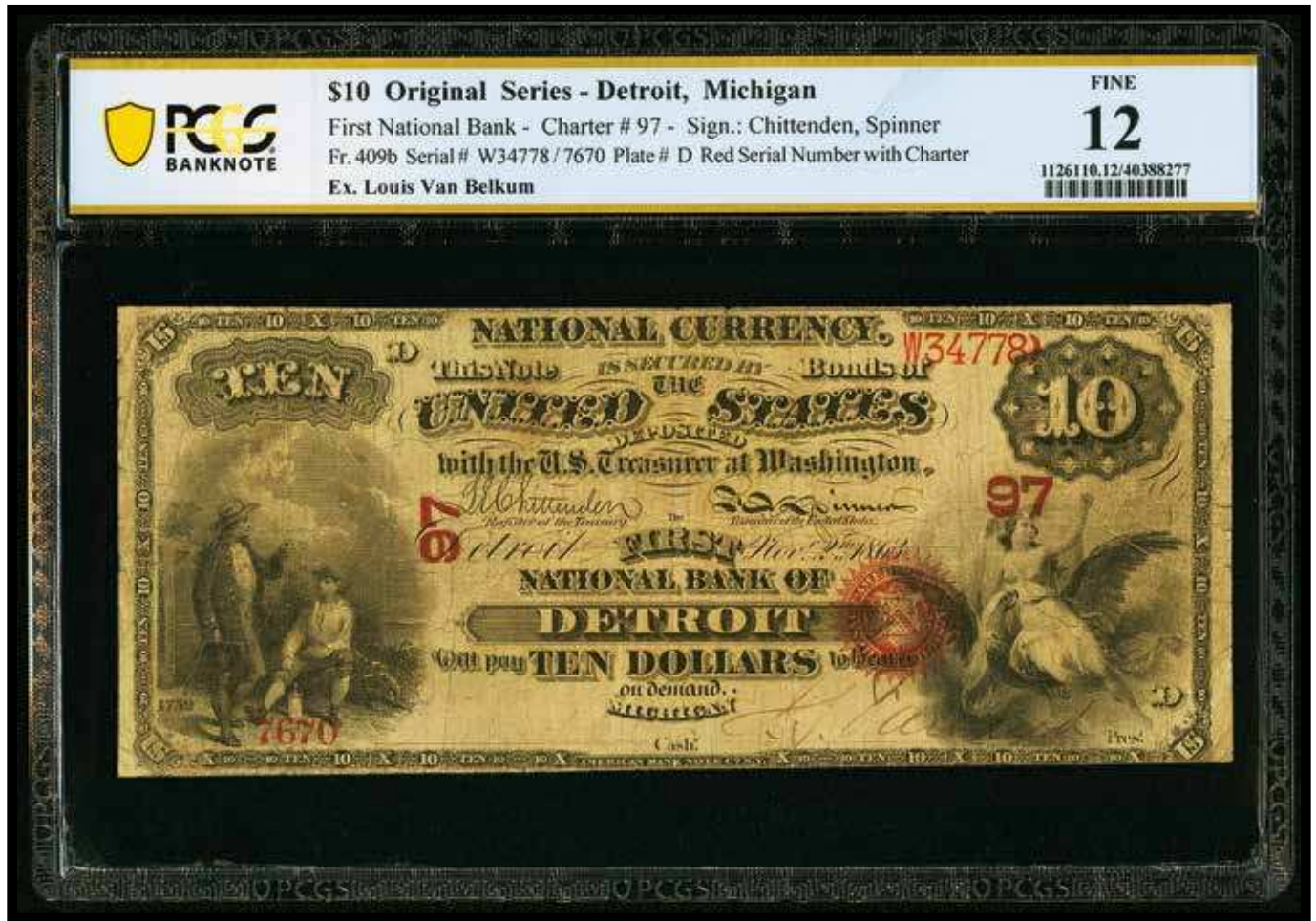
**20354 Decatur, MI - \$5 1875 Fr. 401 The First National Bank Ch. # 1722 PCGS Extremely Fine 45.**

First Charters only from this Van Buren County bank, although a small group put away many years ago makes this the most easily obtained \$5 example from any Michigan issuer. This is one of the finer survivors with great color and signatures, with just a miniscule edge split in the bottom margin.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



## Unique First Charter \$10 Fr. 409b



### 20355 Detroit, MI - \$10 Original Fr. 409b The First National Bank Ch. # 97 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.

One of the highlights of tonight's auction, this Original Series \$10 is not only from one of the scarcest of the First Hundred Charter banks, it also represents a unique Friedberg number. When it was originally sold as part of the Louis Van Belkum collection in 2009, it was simply cataloged as a Fr. 409. However, since that time, the Friedberg reference has added sub-varieties to differentiate between Original Series notes with red and blue Treasury numbers and also those with and without red bank charter number overprints. To date, this is the only note to be found anywhere for Fr. 409 with a red Treasury number and a red bank charter number overprint, hence its exalted status as the unique Fr. 409b. As a bonus, it is also one of only six examples reported from this First Charter-only bank. Fortuitously, for collectors, it is also most attractive for the grade, with pleasing color on both face and back, and solid paper for the grade. This is not only a great Michigan National, with an appealing pedigree, but it is also a "must have" for any collector seeking a complete set of Friedberg numbers.

**Starting Bid: \$12,500**

## Near-Gem \$20 Red Seal



### 20356 Detroit, MI - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)2707 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

Last on the market in our 2009 Long Beach auction, this is a vividly printed \$20 Red Seal with bold colors, sharp signatures, and loads of eye appeal. It is one of only a literal handful of \$20 Red Seals graded to date by PMG that have reached or surpassed the Choice Uncirculated mark. \$20 Red Seals from any location are very scarce in this state of preservation.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



### 20357 Detroit, MI - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 497 The Preston National Bank Ch. # 3730 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.

A pretty Brown Back from this large-only Detroit bank, this piece made its last auction appearance in our May 2002 auction where we said "although not uncirculated, this ranks as one of the highest quality Brown Backs we have ever handled. The paper is fresh and bright, the inks appear to have been applied yesterday afternoon, and the embossing is not only fully present, it is cavernous. Over the years, the note picked up a centerfold, along with two other light bends ... but it is the nicest Extremely Fine-About Uncirculated example we've ever handled." Today, it is still the finest of the twenty notes recorded from this charter.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## PMG 64 EPQ \$50 Plain Back with Serial Number 4444



### 20358 Detroit, MI - \$50 1902 Plain Back Fr. 681 First National Bank Ch. # 10527 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

A beautiful high denomination note, this example represents this major Detroit bank and bears fancy serial number 4444. It appeared in a Jess Peters auction in 1974, then made an encore performance at Stack's in the early 1990s. It is a bright, well embossed, and crackling fresh piece fit for the finest of collections.

Starting Bid: \$2,500



## Ex-Grinnell PMG 66 Serial Number 1 \$10



20359 Detroit, MI - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 First National Bank Ch. # 10527 PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

This note comes with a most distinguished pedigree which can be traced back to the sale of the famed Albert A. Grinnell collection in 1946. It was part of a lot of five uncut serial number 1 sheets, all bearing this title, in denominations of \$5 through \$100 that sold for a bit less than double their face value. The sheets were later cut, and a group of Superb or near Superb examples were produced. This piece is hugely margined, fully embossed, and, save for the whim of the grading service, could easily have received any grade from 66 to 68.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20360 Detroit, MI - \$100 1929 Ty. 1 First Wayne National Bank Ch. # 10527 PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A lovely high denomination example from this major Detroit bank, this piece is easily the finest \$100 we have offered from here. It would be an ideal candidate for either a state or type set, as PMG has graded just seven pieces at this lofty level for the entire country, with only three examples graded a single point finer.

Starting Bid: \$875



20361 Grand Rapids, MI - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 545 The Grand Rapids National Bank Ch. # (M)2460 PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.

A lovely Second Charter example from this Grand Rapids bank, the note features blazing ink colors and dark printed signatures. Only its margins preclude a full Gem grade for this pretty note.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20362 Plymouth, MI - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 472 The First National Exchange Bank Ch. # 4649 PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.

A lovely \$5 Brown Back, this note has everything a collector could desire. It is a well margined piece with great color, full originality, and nice pen signatures, making it a great representative of its type.

Starting Bid: \$1,125



20363 Plymouth, MI - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 472 The First National Exchange Bank Ch. # 4649 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A lovely \$5 Brown Back, this note has everything a collector could desire. It is a well margined piece with great color, full originality, and nice pen signatures, making it a great representative of its type.

Starting Bid: \$1,125

## Newly Reported Royal Oak Small Size



20364 Royal Oak, MI - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 12657 PMG Very Fine 20.

A great new addition to the census of this very scarce Oakland County bank, this is just the fifth small to be reported. This charter is understandably scarcer in small than in large since it fell into receivership during the Great Depression in July of 1931. This offering is a pleasing mid-grade \$5 with nary a problem save honest wear. In our 2018 Long Beach auction, we sold an impaired PCGS Very Good 8 example from here for \$3,120.

Starting Bid: \$1,500

## MINNESOTA

## Newly Reported Long Prairie Large Size First Ever Public Offering



20365 Long Prairie, MN - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 660 The First National Bank Ch. # 6208 PMG Very Fine 25.

A wonderful new discovery from an excessively rare central Minnesota issuer that, prior to this evening, has never had a note appear at public sale. It is from the far scarcer of two banks that issued in this Todd County location that bears one of the great Minnesota town names. Just two notes were listed in the census from this charter that was only in business from 1902 to 1928, neither of which has ever been publicly offered anywhere. This is a charter that eluded many of the famous Minnesota collectors, including Marco Biondich and the Melamed family. This is the third piece to be reported, and provides a great opportunity for the many Minnesota collectors to finally add this charter to their holdings. It is an evenly circulated note with nice color, clear signatures, and only a few negligible rust stains in the bottom margin, which truly affect nothing. Estimating the first note to ever cross the auction block always presents a challenge so we will be conservative and let the bidders decide tonight.

Starting Bid: \$2,500



## MISSOURI



**20366 Appleton City, MO - \$10 1882 Value Back Fr. 577 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)2636 PMG Very Fine 25.**

An attractive \$10 Value Back, this piece is from a scarce St. Clair County bank that has been bringing increasingly strong prices at auction in recent years. It is one of just a dozen large size reported, and the finest of four examples of this type and denomination in the census. It exhibits great color and just even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

### Rare Brookfield \$20 - The Only Note Ever Publicly Offered



**20367 Brookfield, MO - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 12820 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An excessively rare Missouri note, this piece hails from a bank where large notes are unknown and the small size census stands at a mere four. More importantly, of that quartet, this offering is the only one of the four to have ever made a public appearance. The first time was in our May 1997 auction, and the second was in a 2014 Lyn Knight sale. The evenly circulated \$20 presents a great opportunity for the serious Missouri collector to add a new location to his holdings.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20368 California, MO - \$2 Original Fr. 389 The Moniteau National Bank Ch. # 1712 PMG Very Fine 25.**

This Original Series \$2 is rather unusual in that it is a rare circulated note from this Missouri bank. Almost every other Lazy Deuce we have encountered from this charter is part of the Uncirculated run that has supplied collectors with high grade ones for generations. Fortunately, this example has acquired just some folds, retaining virtually all of its vivid ink colors and bold pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

### Excessively Rare Canton Note



**20369 Canton, MO - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 590 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)7729 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A very rare bank which issued Third Charter notes only before liquidating in 1916. To date, just two notes are definitively reported, although Track & Price lists a third, but its serial number is rather suspicious and it has never been publicly offered. This piece is one of the two in census and was last handled by us in our inaugural auction of November 1990. It is a pleasing, evenly circulated example with decent color and dark pen signatures. The only note from this Lewis County issuer to cross the auction block since 1993, it presents a great opportunity for the Missouri specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



20370 Columbia, MO - \$5 1875 Fr. 401 The Exchange National Bank Ch. # 1467 PMG Very Good 10.

A scarcer type and denomination from this popular Boone County bank, only one other 1875 \$5 from here has crossed the public auction block since 1990. This is a well circulated but intact example with nice color for the grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,250

### Newly Reported Missouri \$100 Brown Back



20371 Kansas City, MO - \$100 1882 Brown Back Fr. 523 The National Bank of Commerce Ch. # 3760 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A great new addition to the census for the State of Missouri, this is just the tenth \$100 Brown Back to be reported. However, of the other nine \$100s known, one is in an institutional collection and of the other eight pieces, none have been publicly offered since 1995, according to the National Currency Foundation census. This new entrant is a pleasing mid-grade example with solid color and paper and just some minor ink staining. This \$100 should appeal to all Missouri collectors as well as anyone who appreciates great Nationals.

Starting Bid: \$2,500



## Rare Kansas City Charter - First Public Offering Since 2008



**20372 Kansas City, MO - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 The Continental National Bank & Trust Company Ch. # (M)12260 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A great note from one of Kansas City's most short-lived issuers. This bank opened its doors in October of 1922 and elected to give up its charter just before Christmas in 1923. Consequently, it was in a position to issue notes for a mere 14 months. Until this evening, just four notes were reported from this bank - none of which have been publicly offered anywhere since 2008. This welcome new addition is also the first piece we have ever been able to offer, indicating that this charter was missing from even the massive Fred Sweeney holdings that we sold in 1990. Fortunately, it is a quite attractive piece with bright, white paper and sharp ink colors. A great note for the Kansas City or Missouri specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20373 King City, MO - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 471 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)4373 PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**

An attractive Brown Back, this piece is from a small hoard that has supplied collectors with lovely examples from this bank for two generations. This pretty note displays great color and signatures, along with no real evidence of circulation seen through the third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20374 Liberty, MO - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)3712 PMG Very Fine 30.**

From a Clay County bank that is scarce in small size, but downright rare in large, this piece is one of just a half dozen notes in the census. We last handled this Date Back in our May 1991 auction. It features sharp ink colors and original embossing, but it does have a scattering of pinholes.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

**20375 Mexico, MO - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)2881 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A lightly circulated large size note from this Audrain County bank, this piece bears one of the popular "misplaced" town names to be found on Nationals. This Plain Back faces up nicely, but clearly has evidence of a previous mounting on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20376 Milan, MO - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)3110 PMG Very Fine 25.**

The only bank to issue in this small northern Missouri locale, which serves as the county seat of Sullivan County. Although named in 1859 for the city of the same name in Italy, it is pronounced MY-lun. This note is one of just six pieces recorded from this tough charter that, although it survived the note-issuing era, chose to issue large size only. Displaying nice color and even wear, it is crossing the auction block for the first time. In 2014, another \$10 Date Back graded a raw Very Fine realized \$5,750 at auction.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



20377 Monett, MO - \$5 1882 Value Back Fr. 574 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)5973 PCGS Very Fine 30PPQ.

A very scarce note, this piece is one of only two \$5 Value Backs listed in the census from this institution. It is a nicely margined piece, with great color and original paper surfaces.

Starting Bid: \$875



20379 Paris, MO - \$5 Original Fr. 399a The First National Bank Ch. # 1803 PCGS Apparent Very Fine 20.

First Charters only were issued from this Paris bank, the first of three to issue in this small county seat community. The latest census shows just six examples reported - five \$1 notes, with only one grading as high as Fine, and this \$5 note. As an Original Series \$5, it is also a scarce type from a Missouri bank. It faces up quite nicely with attractive color and signatures, with just a small tape repaired tear found on the back.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20378 Monett, MO - \$20 1882 Value Back Fr. 581 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)5973 PMG Very Fine 30.

A very scarce early note from this Barry County institution, this piece is one of only two \$20 Value Backs listed in the census. Last on the market in our 2005 FUN auction, it's also the finer of the pair with bright paper, vivid ink colors, and even wear.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## Newly Discovered Pleasant Hill Lazy Deuce



20380 Pleasant Hill, MO - \$2 Original Fr. 389 The First National Bank Ch. # 1751 PMG Very Good 10.

A great new discovery from this very rare Cass County bank that operated near the Kansas state line. Pleasant Hill was the host to two National Banks - the Farmers National, which remains unreported, and the First National which issued First Charter notes only during its brief existence from 1870 to 1878. Tonight's offering is just the fourth note to surface from here. It displays just honest wear with good remaining color and legible signatures. Last year, another Deuce from this bank, which was a repaired PMG Very Good 8 Net, fetched over \$4,000 at auction.

Starting Bid: \$1,750





20381 Ridgeway, MO - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)6549 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A nice Red Seal from this Harrison County bank, this is the only note we have been able to offer from this charter since November 1990. It is a bright, pen-signed \$10 with a bold red overprint.

Starting Bid: \$750



20383 Seymour, MO - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # 9932 PMG Very Fine 30.

An evenly circulated and well margined \$10, this piece is from the only bank to issue the 1929 series in Webster County. The jurisdiction supported only two note issuing banks, the other of which, based in nearby Marshfield, closed its doors in 1923. This is just the fifth small size example to surface from this charter, and aside from some light staining, is solid for the grade. It's only the second small size note to be publicly offered in over fifteen years.

Starting Bid: \$875

### Scarce St. Louis \$50 Brown Back



20382 Saint Louis, MO - \$50 1882 Brown Back Fr. 515 The Continental National Bank Ch. # 4048 PMG Very Good 10 Net.

Brown Backs only from this tougher St. Louis bank, with fives, fifties and hundreds only being issued. Just four fifties, including this example, are enumerated in the census, one of which is listed without a grade. This piece has seen its share of circulation and has had some repairs, but faces up quite nicely for its assigned grade. It is a more than acceptable example of this very scarce type and denomination.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



20384 Versailles, MO - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 13367 PMG Very Fine 25.

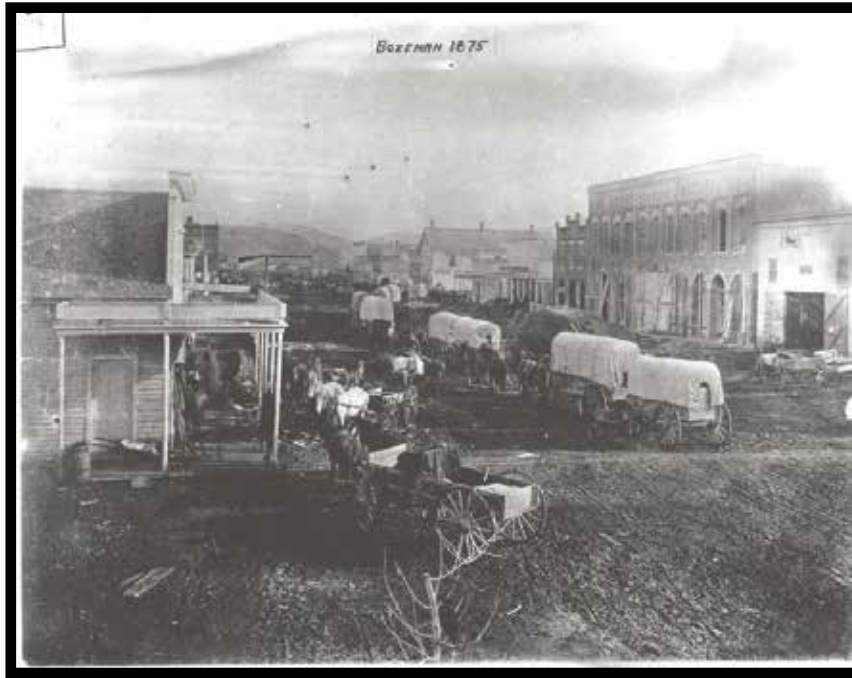
This is just the fifth note to be reported from this short-lived Morgan County bank that issued small size only during its brief two-year existence from 1929 to 1931. It's also the first note we handled from here in 30 years and just the second to be publicly offered since 2010. Exhibiting even wear, its only detracting factor is a partial teller stamp on the back.

Starting Bid: \$750

# MONTANA







### **Attractive Montana Territory Original Series Five The First Reported Note for the Bank**

**20385 Bozeman, Montana Territory - \$5 Original Fr. 399 The First National Bank Ch. # 2027 PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.**

A fabulous note, this offering is a newly discovered Montana Territorial example which is presented here to the numismatic fraternity for the first time. It's also the first note to surface from a short-lived issuer that briefly operated in this southwestern Montana city.

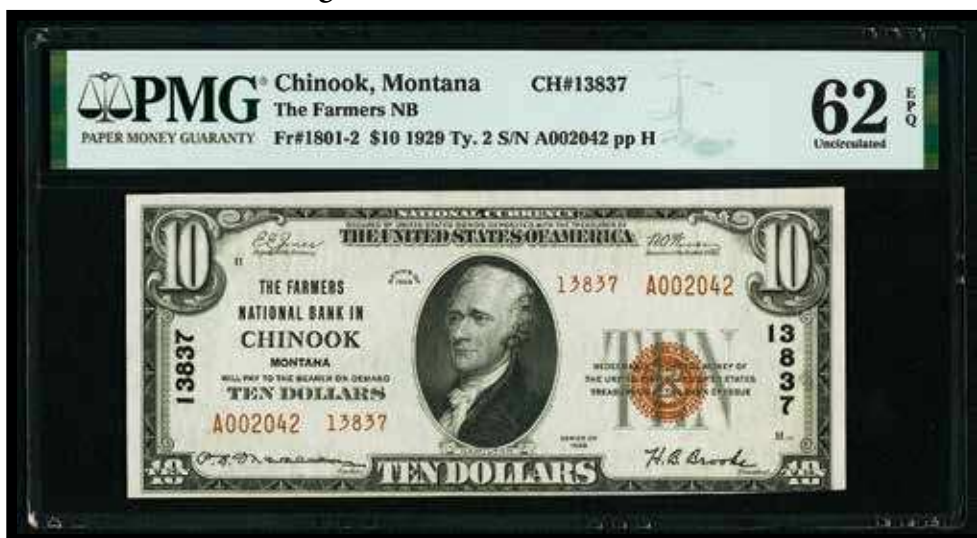
The city of Bozeman was named after John M. Bozeman, who founded the Bozeman Trail, and was a founder of the community in 1864. However, just three years later, Mr. Bozeman was murdered under mysterious circumstances. Five years after that, in 1872, the First National Bank of Bozeman was established under the leadership of President Leander M. Black and Cashier George W. Fox. However, like many ill-fated ventures in the rough-and-tumble Wild West, what began with high hopes soon came to an ignoble end. After just six years in business, the First National was closed by the receiver on September 14, 1878. Over those six years, the bank had a total issuance of just \$91,600, all Original Series and 1875 \$5s. By 1916, just \$560 remained outstanding. Prior to this evening, despite decades of searching by the most dedicated collectors, there had not been even a hint of a surviving note from this small Territorial bank.

That situation has now changed with the surfacing of this Original Series \$5. Not only is it the first note to surface from this bank, it's also only the second example to be reported from any of the three Bozeman charters that issued Territorial notes. The only other known piece, according to the National Currency Foundation census, is a very low grade \$10 Brown Back from the Gallatin Valley NB that has never been offered for public sale.

Tonight's offering is quite the opposite. It is an absolutely beautiful note whose face retains virtually all of its original ink colors. The back does have several hard folds indicating that this Five spent a considerable amount of time tucked away in someone's wallet, which undoubtedly accounts for its survival today. It also features a very attractive bank title layout and dark pen signatures. The fact that PMG has assigned its EPQ designation to this pretty note should reassure prospective bidders that this example is fully original and has not been "improved" in any way. With the surfacing of this note, the total of Territorial notes for all Montana banks increases to a mere 39. Certainly a highlight, if not the highlight of this auction, this is truly a note fit for the finest of collections. It's a true trophy item worth whatever it costs to bring it home tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$75,000**

## High Grade Chinook Small Size



**20386 Chinook, MT - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The Farmers National Bank Ch. # 13837 PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.**

A rare Blaine County bank for which this piece is just the seventh to be reported from this charter. The Farmers NB in Chinook was the successor bank to the Farmers NB of Chinook which had closed its doors in December 1933. Thus, it had barely a year to issue a handful of notes before the National Bank Note era ended in 1935. This newly surfaced note is easily the finest survivor from here, as none of the other known examples grade above Very Fine. It features natural paper wave and embossing, and is only held back from a higher grade by a tight bottom margin.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20387 Helena, MT - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 659 The National Bank of Montana Ch. # 5671 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A most attractive example which would make a perfect fit into any mid-grade state capital set. Great color, bright, white paper, and dark printed signatures are the hallmarks of this pretty \$20 that just has a couple of spindle holes.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



## Serial Number 1 \$10 Miles City Large Size



20388 Miles City, MT - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 635 The First National Bank Ch. # 12536 PCGS About New 50PPQ.

The first of a great pair of serial number 1 large size notes from Montana that made their first public appearance in our October 2012 Dallas ANA auction where we said: "Tonight, we present not only two large size notes from here but they are from the first sheet issued by this late chartering bank after it opened its doors in 1924 that have been held by the bank president's family for generations.

As background, the eastern Montana community of Miles City was named in honor of U. S. Army General Nelson A. Miles who had been sent to the area after the Battle of the Little Big Horn, according to the local newspaper, to "bring the remaining uncontrolled Native Americans into subjugation." His nephew, George Miles, accompanied him on the expedition and became quite involved in the sheep and livestock trade and would later become the President of the First National Bank. The first bank in Miles City was named appropriately the First National Bank and opened its doors in 1882. In 1924, this institution reorganized itself, adopted a new charter, and changed its name from the First NB of Miles City to the First NB in Miles City from which came these two lovely notes that we present this evening.

First up is a beautiful Serial Number 1 \$10 from the "C" position that features bright paper, a vibrant blue overprint, and bold pen signatures including that of George M. Miles as President. While it has a bit of an irregular cut in its top margin and has sustained some very light handling, it was obviously well preserved over the years. A true trophy note fit for the finest of collections." This piece and the following lot are still the only large size notes from this Montana bank and remain just as rare and important as when we first offered them over eight years ago.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**

Serial Number 1 \$20 Miles City Large Size



20389 Miles City, MT - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 661 The First National Bank Ch. # 12536 PCGS Choice About New 58PPQ.

Again, another wonderful serial number 1 large size note from this rare Montana bank, this one a \$20 that was unveiled to the collecting fraternity in our October 2012 Dallas ANA auction. Our description then stated: "A second gorgeous note from this Miles City bank that was heretofore unknown in large size. This \$20 is a wonderful Serial Number 1 piece. As mentioned in the previous lot, the First NB in Miles City was the successor bank to the First NB of Miles City which had chosen to reorganize in 1924. The new bank issued only 538 sheets of \$10-\$10-\$10-\$20 Plain Backs before the small size era ensued in 1929. Again, no large size examples from this charter had ever been located until the surfacing of these two wonderful notes, which had been set aside by the bank's president, George M. Miles. This piece has sustained only a light touch of handling over the years, and features excellent color, bold embossing, the same dark signatures as the \$10, and a very wide bottom margin including the first sheet's entire bottom selvage. Another beautiful note to excite the many collectors of trophy nationals."

Starting Bid: \$8,750



## NEBRASKA

20390 **Alliance, NE** - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 545 **The Alliance National Bank** Ch. # (W)5657 **PMG Very Fine 20 EPQ.**

A scarce early note from this Nebraska bank, this piece is also the first Second Charter note of any kind from here to ever appear at public sale, according to Track & Price. It's just the second \$10 Date Back to be reported. This attractive offering shows even wear, dark signatures, and retains original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

### Second Reported Bridgeport Note



20391 **Bridgeport, NE** - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 619 **The First National Bank** Ch. # (W)9711 **PMG Choice Fine 15.**

In our 2019 Long Beach auction, we were fortunate enough to be able to offer the only known note from this tiny western Nebraska bank that was only in business from 1910 until its failure in 1921. It was housed in a PMG Very Fine 20 holder with a comment about small edge tears. That evening, that unique piece brought \$7,200. Strong realizations such as that number seem to have an ability to ferret other notes out of the woodwork and, once again, that is the case. Out of the “proverbial weeds”, we are pleased to offer the second reported note from this short-lived charter. The hamlet of Bridgeport had its start in 1899 by the building of the Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy through that part of the state. Eleven years later, when Bridgeport had a population of 500, the First National Bank was established. However, it was destined to be an early victim of the agricultural depression of the 1920s and was closed by the receiver in 1921. This note is a crisp mid-grade example with nice color and bold signatures, one signed and one stamped. PMG has added a comment about splits, but they are small and hardly noticeable. This newly surfaced \$10 presents a great opportunity for the disappointed underbidders from that 2019 sale.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



20392 Kearney, NE - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 497 **The City National Bank** Ch. # (W)3958 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A very pretty \$20 Brown Back from this scarce Buffalo County bank, this piece was last offered in our 2013 FUN auction where we said: "Large notes only from this Kearney bank, with this boldly printed \$20 Brown Back as nice as any we've seen. From its bold pen signatures to the deep chocolate brown reverse, this is a note which is certain to please even the most discerning of collectors."

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



20393 Omaha, NE - \$50 1902 Date Back Fr. 668 **The Omaha National Bank** Ch. # 1633 PMG About Uncirculated 55.

Lovely and problem-free 1902 \$50 from Omaha, this offering displays bright and attractive paper with stamped signatures and deep blue over-print.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## NEVADA

### Appealing Elko Large Size



20394 Elko, NV - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 590 **The First National Bank** Ch. # (P)7743 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.

A most attractive note from Elko's only issuer where most of its known large size are rather well circulated, this Date Back is a happy exception and certainly appears undergraded within its holder. It features bright paper, vivid ink colors, and dark printed signatures. It is also only the third large size example we have been able to offer from this popular charter in over 20 years.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





20395 Reno, NV - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 First National Bank Ch. # 7038 PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.

While this piece has certainly become a hoard note, very few have actually reached the Superb Gem grading plateau. This glorious example has achieved that lofty level due to its utter originality, bright paper, and wonderful centering.

Starting Bid: \$750



20396 Reno, NV - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 First National Bank Ch. # 7038 PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.

A beautifully centered example, this piece displays embossing evident even through the PCGS holder. PCGS has assigned a Superb grade to this pretty note, and we no reason at all here to disagree.

Starting Bid: \$750



20397 Reno, NV - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 First National Bank Ch. # 7038 Uncut Sheet PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.

A boldly embossed Uncut Sheet from this bank that adopted this title in June, 1929. Serial numbers are A012943-48. Cashier L.S. Reese and President C.F. Wentz served together during the last two years of the National era.

Starting Bid: \$1,375



20398 Reno, NV - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 First National Bank Ch. # 7038 Uncut Sheet PMG About Uncirculated 50.

Today's collectors are lucky that this charter number was able to retain Uncut Sheets, because if they did not, then there would be only three Uncut Sheets divided among the Ely NB and the McGill NB for Nevada collectors to fight over. This well centered Reno Uncut Sheet with serial numbers A012853-58 sports embossing, dark inks, and white paper. It has a tiny tear in the top margin.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20399 Reno, NV - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 632 The Nixon National Bank Ch. # 8424 PCGS Banknote Choice VF 35.

While small notes from Reno abound, large notes from here are in short enough supply that all are very desirable. This is an attractive example with bright paper, sharp ink colors, and dark printed signatures.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

### Rare Exeter, New Hampshire \$1 Original



20400 Exeter, NH - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The National Granite State Bank Ch. # 1147 PMG Very Fine 20 EPQ.

A very rare New Hampshire note from a bank which issued First Charters and Brown Backs only before the receiver closed it down during the Panic of 1893. Track & Price lists only three offerings since 1990, with the last appearance being another ace which was an impaired PCGS Apparent Very Fine 30 that brought \$3,000 in our 2019 Central States auction.

Starting Bid: \$1,250





20401 Portsmouth, NH - \$10 1875 Fr. 416 The National Mechanics & Traders Bank Ch. # 401 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.

The bright paper, and striking penned signatures are uninterrupted by folds, giving this note incredible eye appeal for the grade. Not only is this note the finest of the few First Charter notes from this bank by a mile, it ranks in the condition census for all the notes extant from the bank.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

Starting Bid: \$1,250

## NEW JERSEY

### Rare Boonton Large Size - One of Two Reported



20402 Boonton, NJ - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 4274 The Boonton National Bank Ch. # 4274 PMG Very Good 10.

A great note from this excessively rare Morris County bank, this is the first large size from this one bank community to ever cross the public auction block. Until early last year, just one large (and five small) were known from here with the large size note, a very low grade \$5 Brown Back, having been tied up in a long-term holding for decades. Several months ago, this \$10 surfaced "out of the weeds" and is now available for today's generation of Garden State collectors. It has seen its share of circulation, but remains quite attractive for its grade with pleasing color and dark pen signatures. A rare New Jersey note and the first example of any kind we have been able to offer in over 20 years.

Starting Bid: \$1,500

20403 Bridgeton, NJ - \$5 Original Fr. 397a The Cumberland National Bank Ch. # 1346 PMG Very Fine 25.

One of only three Original Series Fives in the census from this South Jersey bank, tonight's offering is an attractive, moderately circulated note with excellent color, dark pen signatures, and solid paper for the grade. This more than acceptable First Charter note was last on the market in a 2004 Lyn Knight sale.

Starting Bid: \$750



20404 Bridgeton, NJ - \$5 1902 Red Seal Fr. 587 The Cumberland National Bank Ch. # (E)1346 PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.

A near perfect example, this note has come from a bank whose officers held back a small hoard of uncirculated \$5 Red Seals to the delight of today's collectors. Our offering tonight is enhanced by absolutely pristine paper surfaces, dark pen signatures, and centering which is oh so close to the Superb Gem standard. The embossing is unusually deep and easily seen through the PCGS holder, attesting to the unmolested originality of this beautiful note.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20405 Bridgeton, NJ - \$50 1929 Ty. 1 The Bridgeton National Bank Ch. # 2999 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A pretty note, this is just the second small size \$50 to surface from this Cumberland County bank. With one other known \$50 grading just Fine, this offering becomes the finer of the pair. Only some light handling is found on this bright, nicely margined example.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20406 Elizabeth, NJ - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The National State Bank Ch. # 1436 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

The finest large size note we have been able to offer from this Union County bank in quite a few years, this blazingly original Plain Back features vibrant color and solid, original embossing. It comes from the last sheet of notes issued from here and a few minor as-made ink stains on the back, which detract little, have been noted by PMG.

Starting Bid: \$750



20408 Wharton, NJ - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 13047 PMG Very Fine 25.

A very scarce note, this example is from the only bank to issue in this Morris County location. While six small notes (and an equal number of large) are listed in the census, few have been offered in recent years. Track & Price shows that only two have been available during the past seventeen years.

Starting Bid: \$750

## NEW MEXICO

### Serial Number 1 Jersey City \$5 Brown Back



20407 Jersey City, NJ - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 469 The Third National Bank Ch. # 3680 PMG Very Fine 30.

An attractive serial number 1 Brown Back from this better Jersey City bank, this note is the only number 1 example of any kind reported from this institution. It is one of just 20 serial number 1 \$5 Brown Backs reported from the entire Garden State. The note exhibits sharp ink colors, bold pen signatures, and just a few small edge splits in the fold lines.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

### Santa Fe, New Mexico Territory \$10 Brown Back



20409 Santa Fe, NMT- \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 484 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)1750 PMG Fine 12.

An evenly circulated Territorial Brown Back, this piece hails from one of the more available Territorial issuers, making it a perfect piece for the collector desiring a reasonably priced Territorial note for their collection.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



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### Attractive Santa Rosa \$10 Value Back



**20410 Santa Rosa, NM - \$10 1882 Value Back Fr. 579 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)6081 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A great new discovery from this popular western state that is not only the first \$10 Value Back reported for this Santa Rosa bank but just the eleventh for the entire state of New Mexico. Most of the others are rather low grade. That, fortunately, is not the case here, as this piece features bright, original paper surfaces, ample margins all around, and especially vibrant color. Studying the National Currency Foundation census, this piece is the second finest reported for the state. In terms of visual appeal, it is quite likely the best of that small group. A great note for western state collectors.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**

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### High Grade Silver City Large Size



**20411 Silver City, NM - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 628 The Silver City National Bank Ch. # (W)3539 PCGS Apparent Extremely Fine 45.**

This institution is not to be confused with Silver City's other collectible issuing bank, which, by New Mexico standards, is quite common. This is the rare Silver City bank which issued large notes only, and has a current census population of just nine pieces, four of which are Territorials. This is a new addition to that small group, and in terms of circulation, becomes the finest known example from the bank. It does have a few small flaws, mostly related to a previous mounting, but that mounting undoubtedly accounts for the note's survival. It is a bright, well printed Plain Back with great color and dark printed signatures. A great note for the western or New Mexico specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**

## Rare Tucumcari Small Size



### 20412 Tucumcari, NM - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 6288 PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.

The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad built a settlement in the western part of the county in 1901. In 1908 the permanent settlement was renamed Tucumcari after the nearby mountain. It is currently the county seat of Quay County. The First National was chartered in June 1902 and managed to survive until 1934 when it finally liquidated. An incredible quality example, this piece is most likely the finest known of a half-dozen listed. It is superbly printed and exhibits great color. The paper surfaces are clearly original and show cavernous embossing. There are only two other auction records for this charter. First, there was a Fine-Very Fine that sold for \$3,000 close to two decades ago. The other was graded Very Fine and sold for \$9,200 in a 2009 sale. This is the first time we are honored to offer an example of this rare charter to the collecting community.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



## Serial Number 1 Uncut Strip of Four



20413 Canton, NY - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The St. Lawrence County National Bank Ch. # 8531 Uncut Strip of Four PMG About Uncirculated 53.

An uncut strip of four notes, these represent the top four notes from the first sheet of Type 2 \$5s issued by the county seat bank located in the far northern reaches of New York State. The notes bear the serial numbers A000001 through A000004. According to PMG, the strip was previously mounted which undoubtedly accounts for its survival today. According to Track & Price, this strip includes the first serial number 1 note of any type to surface from this issuer.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## Edmeston, NY \$5 1882 Brown Back



20414 **Edmeston, NY - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 469 The First National Bank Ch. # 3681 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

A truly rare note from an Otsego County bank with just five large and five small notes reported in the census. This piece is one of three \$5 Brown Backs recorded, but more importantly, it is the only one of that trio to make a public appearance since 1994. Fortuitously, it is also a very attractive note, with great signatures, color and eye appeal - a lovely \$5 Brown Back fit for the finest of collections.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



20416 **Manhasset, NY - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 607 The First National Bank Ch. # 11924 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A boldly inked and well embossed example, this note well represents this better Nassau County bank that has thirteen notes (and an Uncut Sheet) reported, including this piece. With this bank showing only \$355 outstanding in large notes in 1935, the chance of many more surfacing from here is highly unlikely. This bank operated in what is now one of the highest income communities in the nation, so we expect serious competition for this lovely note that is tied for the finest graded from this charter.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



20415 **Edwards, NY - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 605 The Edwards National Bank Ch. # 10569 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A lovely, high grade note from the sole issuer in this small mining community that is located in the far northern hinterlands of upstate New York, it represents an institution that had a mere \$250 in large size outstanding in 1935. Therefore, it is not surprising that, aside from a few serial number 1 examples, this piece is the only large size that has been offered from this charter since 2005, according to Track & Price. Displaying only minimal traces of circulation, this bright, well printed \$5 displays great color and dark stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



20417 **New York, NY - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The National Bank of Commerce Ch. # 733 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A well margined and brightly printed note, this example comes from this popular New York City bank with the bonus of J. Pierpont Morgan's signature as V. President.

**Starting Bid: \$875**





20418 New York, NY - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 480 **The National Bank of Commerce** Ch. # 733 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ. Brightly colored, well margined, fully original, and bearing the signature of J. Pierpont Morgan as V. President, this is a beautiful \$10 Brown Back in every respect.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



20419 New York, NY - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 480 **The National Bank of Commerce** Ch. # 733 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64. Gem sized margins frame this note on face and back. The colors are ideal, and the paper is fresh and attractive.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,100**

### Third Reported Note



20420 New York, NY - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 470 **The National Bank of Deposit** Ch. # 3771 PMG Very Good 8. Though well circulated, this \$5 Brown Back comes from the rarest of New York City's many charters. Only in business from 1887 until its failure in 1893, this bank issued only this type and denomination with just \$735 left outstanding in 1915. Until this evening, just two other pieces were known from this institution - both serial number 1 examples that are both housed in long-term holdings. Despite the amount of wear, this offering retains decent color and dark pen signatures. It provides an opportunity to acquire this tough charter for much less than the five-figure price tag that its serial number 1 counterparts have realized at auction.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



20421 Ogdensburg, NY - \$10 1875 Fr. 419 **The National Bank of Ogdensburg** Ch. # 2446 PCGS Extremely Fine 45. A lovely example with a long pedigree, this note served as the plate illustration for \$10 First Charter Nationals through the fifteenth edition of the Friedberg catalog. It is a note which appears Uncirculated until carefully inspected, with an incredibly sharp red overprint, bright white paper, and bold black pen signatures. Of the eight 1875 \$10s reported for this large-only St. Lawrence County institution, this is easily the finest known. (Track & Price lists another piece in the same grade, but that listing is a duplicate of this note with an incorrect serial number).  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Serial Number 1 Ossining Small Size



### 20422 Ossining, NY - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank & Trust Company Ch. # 471 PCGS Banknote About Unc 55PPQ.

An appealing serial number 1 small size \$5, this piece bears the last of the three titles that this strongly collected Westchester County institution employed on its emissions. This title was the only one to adorn its 1929 designs. Last on the market in our 2000 FUN auction, this piece is a bright and original note with only minor handling evident.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



### 20424 Rome, NY - \$1 Original Fr. 380 The Central National Bank Ch. # 1376 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.

A scarcer Rome bank, this institution issued only until 1895. Just seven notes are reported from this charter. (There are several duplicate listings in the Track & Price census). That scant total includes this attractive, lightly circulated \$1 that we last handled in our 2003 Central States auction.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



### 20423 Oswego, NY - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 479 The First National Bank Ch. # 255 PCGS About New 50PPQ.

One of a small run of Uncirculated or near-Uncirculated Brown Backs from this upstate New York bank, the note displays many attractive features. The colors are bold, the pen signatures strong, and all four margins are clear of the design.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



## Gem Troy \$5 Brown Back



20425 Troy, NY - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Mutual National Bank Ch. # (E) 992 PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.

An attractive and boldly printed \$5 Brown Back, this piece hails from this large-only Troy bank that merged out of existence in 1905. It belongs to a small group of high-grade \$5 Brown Backs from this bank that have delighted collectors over the years. This is one of the better survivors and the owner of the Power Collection, which was sold in 2006, thought highly enough of this note to include it in his holdings. With vibrant colors and loads of eye appeal, it's a real winner of a note.

Starting Bid: \$2,500

## NORTH CAROLINA

### Beautiful High Point, NC 1882 \$5 Brown Back



**20426 High Point, NC - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 469 The National Bank of High Point Ch. # 3490 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

A wonderful new discovery from an extremely rare High Point bank which issued Brown Backs and Red Seals only before liquidating in 1907. Just seven notes are listed in the census under two titles for this rare charter with tonight's offering a welcome new addition. It is as pretty as it is rare, with its full original colors, bold pen signatures, and just minor handling. It also features an appealing bank title layout for which many of the early \$5 Brown Backs are known. As a bonus, it carries a low serial number of 77. PMG has commented about a slightly miscut bottom left corner but the cut does not encroach upon the design and is not at all distracting. Last year, we sold another \$5 Brown Back from this charter in a PMG Extremely Fine 40 holder for \$6,000. **Starting Bid: \$3,000**

## NORTH DAKOTA



**20427 Sanford, NC - \$20 1929 Ty. 2 The National Bank of Sanford Ch. # 13791 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very scarce late-chartering institution, this bank has a paltry ten small size examples listed in the census. The bank opened in 1933 and survived the brief sojourn to the end of the small size era. We have only sold two notes previously. One was a serial number 1 note that graded PCGS EF 40 and sold for \$5,875 in our 2012 ANA sale. The other was a PMG Choice Fine 15 that we have sold twice, with an average realized price around \$2,750. A very desirable Lee County institution, this charter number was missing from the Mike Coltrane North Carolina Currency collection. **Starting Bid: \$875**



**20428 Buxton, ND - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 658 The First National Bank Ch. # 10814 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

Only 2,795 sheets of large size notes were issued by this tiny Traill County bank. There are just seven of them listed in the latest census, and only one of that small group has been publicly offered since 2008. This evenly circulated and solid \$20 is one of those seven, and last appeared on the market in a 1999 auction. **Starting Bid: \$750**



## Rare 1882 North Dakota \$100 Date Back - One of Three Known



20429 Grand Forks, ND - \$100 1882 Date Back Fr. 571 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)2570 PMG Choice Fine 15.

An extremely rare type and denomination from North Dakota, where it was issued by only this bank. Three examples are known, with one of that trio permanently ensconced in an institutional holding. The other, which has not appeared at public sale in decades, grades about the same as this one. A significant western rarity, this is a pleasing mid-grade piece with nice color and dark signatures.

Starting Bid: \$3,000

## OHIO



20430 Makoti, ND - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 11184 PMG Very Fine 20.

A rare and desirable note from this Ward County bank that was the sole issuer in this community, this piece is just the fifth small size to be reported. It's an evenly circulated and very well margined \$5 with just some light soiling on the back.

Starting Bid: \$750



20431 Bucyrus, OH - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Second National Bank Ch. # (M)3274 PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.

This premium note is part of a run of Uncirculated notes of this type and denomination documented in the census. It comes from the only bank in the state with anything more than a mere handful of Uncirculated Brown Backs of any denomination available. The paper is bright, the margins well balanced, and the delicate ink signatures of the officers are as vivid and strong as the day they were laid down. It is, quite simply, a beautiful \$5 Brown Back that more than deserves the grade bestowed upon it by the grading service.

Starting Bid: \$1,375

## Wonderful Serial #1 Third Charter Red Seal



### 20432 Chillicothe, OH - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The Central National Bank Ch. # (M)2993 PMG Uncirculated 62.

This Ross County institution opened in 1883 and operated until finally going the way of the dodo in 1934. Of the dozen and a half large size examples listed, this appears to be the finest known. On its own merits, tonight's offering would likely see a price realization of several thousand dollars. The plot thickens when one realizes that this note bears serial number 1. The only Red Seal we have sold was a pretty PCGS EF 45PPQ from the Don Kelly collection that brought \$2,875 a decade ago. Aside from that note, the only two other Red Seals known from the bank bear serial number 1 and are from the same sheet as this evening's offering. A Third Charter Red Seal complete sheet layout was \$10-\$10-\$10-\$20, with corresponding plates A-B-C-A. The \$20 Red Seal, plate A, graded AU and realized \$6,325 in a 2010 sale. There is also a \$10 Red Seal, plate C, that is listed as EF-AU which sold for \$13,225 in a 2007 sale. This offering is an incredible note that is bound to land in an equally impressive collection.

Starting Bid: \$3,750

## Serial Number 1 Cincinnati Large Size



### 20433 Cincinnati, OH - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 592 The Fifth-Third National Bank Ch. # (M)2798 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

An attractive serial number 1 example, this piece bears this large-only Cincinnati bank's hyphenated third title. The only number 1 note reported from this charter, it exhibits nice color and clear signatures with just some light storage folds.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



### 20434 Columbus, OH - \$20 1875 Fr. 434 The Fourth National Bank Ch. # 2423 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

A truly exceptional piece, this note is perfect for the type. The colors are vivid, the pen signatures bold, and the overall appearance outstanding. It's from a small run of well preserved 1875 \$20s known from this Columbus bank. If its centering on the back had been a bit better, it would have easily garnered an even higher grade.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$2,250





20435 East Palestine, OH - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)6593 PCGS Extremely Fine 40.

Just four Red Seals are found in the census for this scarce eastern Ohio bank, but two of those pieces are number 1 notes, making this \$20 a more affordable alternative. It is actually the finest of those four reported notes, with bright, white paper, great color, and bold pen signatures. Definitely a premium, eye-appealing Red Seal.

Starting Bid: \$875



20437 Newark, OH - \$10 1875 Fr. 419 The First National Bank Ch. # 858 PCGS New 62PPQ.

A gorgeous crackling fresh First Charter Ten from this Ohio bank, the note is only held back in grade by a top margin that is cut into the design on the back.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20436 Lancaster, OH - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 468 The Hocking Valley National Bank Ch. # 1241 PMG About Uncirculated 55.

This is a delightful \$5 Brown Back that was carefully pen signed by members of the Mithoff family. It is also well margined and displays rich brown color. Only upon close examination can some minor handling be found.

Starting Bid: \$750



20438 Ripley, OH - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 494 The Citizens National Bank Ch. # 3291 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

This lovely \$20 Brown Back comes from a run of Uncirculated examples which have long been sought after for their boardwalk margins and Exceptional Paper Quality. This piece is no exception and is hugely margined and displays wonderful color and bold signatures. It is an ideal note for a high end type collection.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



20439 Toledo, OH - \$2 Original Fr. 387b The Northern National Bank Ch. # 809 PMG Very Fine 20.

A nice addition to the census for this large only Toledo bank, this offering is the first Lazy Deuce to surface from this charter. It displays unusually vivid ink colors and dark pen signatures. It has a few large splits in the foldlines, but still maintains a very attractive appearance.

Starting Bid: \$1,375



20440 Washington C(ourt) H(ouse), OH - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 472 The Midland National Bank Ch. # (M)4763 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

The first Second Charter note of any type and denomination to surface from this scarce Fayette County bank that liquidated in 1928. It is a quite lovely note with vibrant color, wide margins, and bold pen signatures. It carries an unusual bank title layout with its town name abbreviated as Washington C. H. instead of spelled out as Washington Court House.

Starting Bid: \$875

## OKLAHOMA

### Newly Reported Alex, Oklahoma Large Size



20441 Alex, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back - Alex, Oklahoma First National Bank - Charter # 10193 - Sign.: Napier, McClung Fr. 628 Serial # 4222 Plate # B/943 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.

An excessively rare note from the only issuer in this Grady County community, it is just the fourth large size to surface from here and is only the second piece of that quartet to be publicly offered in over 25 years. This \$10 exhibits even wear and bold stamped signatures with just a few small, light stains. With just \$850 outstanding in 1935, do not expect to see many more large size to surface from this popular "First Name" town bank.

Starting Bid: \$3,000



## Scarce Oklahoma State Issued \$10 Brown Back



**20442 Checotah, OK - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 492 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5128 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.**

This state issued \$10 Brown Back is a very scarce Oklahoma type, accounting for only 16 of the 98 reported \$10 Brown Backs. The remainder are Territorial examples, according to the National Currency Foundation census. This piece, which we last handled in our November 1992 auction, exhibits even wear and excellent color for its assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20443 Chickasha, OK - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 546 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5431 PCGS Banknote Extremely Fine 40.**

This is one of the few Oklahoma banks where early notes are reasonably available. Long included in the census but never before publicly offered, this is one of the finer Second Charter survivors that exhibits great color on both face and back. Its only flaw is some minor edge damage at bottom left.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20444 Maysville, OK - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 644 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)8999 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

Only seven large size notes have been documented in the census from this Garvin County bank, and only two of those have been publicly offered in the past 20 years. This is a pleasing, moderately circulated and problem free example that made its last auction appearance in 1997.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20445 Muscogee, IT - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 471 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)4385 PCGS Banknote Very Good 8 Details.**

This is the most "common" of the Territorial banks, with the census now standing at about a dozen pieces, including this example. It is well circulated and has had some repairs yet the color is strong for the grade. It is an excellent choice for the budget-minded collector who wants to own a Territorial National without breaking the bank.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

## Attractive Indian Territory \$10 Brown Back



20446 Muscogee, IT - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 490 The Commercial National Bank Ch. # (W)5236 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.

An attractive \$10 Territorial Brown Back, this note is one of just three such examples reported from this bank. It is a pen signed problem-free piece, perfect for the collector who wishes to own one of these historical artifacts of the American West, but does not wish to bust the budget in doing so. PCGS Banknote commented on the extra selvage at the top of the note.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



20447 Norman, OK - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 536 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5248 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A very scarce early note from a much sought after bank, this is an evenly circulated Second Charter \$20 Date Back with even wear and solid paper. PMG has commented about a minor discoloration.

Starting Bid: \$750



## Colorful Oklahoma State \$20 Brown Back



**20448 Oklahoma City, OK - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 499 The State National Bank Ch. # (W)4862 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

A nice example of a very rare type and denomination for the State of Oklahoma, this is one of fewer than 10 State-issue \$20 Brown Backs recorded (although it is erroneously listed in the census as a Territorial). Since Oklahoma became a State on November 16, 1907 and the Brown Back issuing period ended with the passage of the Aldrich-Vreeland Act on May 30, 1908, that allowed a window of barely six months to issue Oklahoma State Brown Backs, accounting for their scarcity today. Fortunately for collectors, this is an attractive piece with bold signatures, bright colors, and plenty of eye appeal for its assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**

## State Capital Territorial Brown Back



**20449 Oklahoma City, OT - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 490 The American National Bank Ch. # (W)5716 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

This is one of only six Territorial examples known to have survived from this state capital bank, and one of only a dozen from all Oklahoma City banks combined, according to the latest National Currency Foundation compilation. It is a most appealing piece as well, with nice color for the grade and bold pen signatures. Last on the market in our 2007 FUN auction, it would make a great addition to any state or Territorial collection.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



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## Excessively Rare Oklahoma State \$20 Red Seal



**20450 Porter, OK - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 641 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)7615 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An exciting new discovery from this tough Oklahoma bank, this note represents a very rare type for the entire Sooner State. Not only is this note just the fourth large size to surface from this northeastern Oklahoma bank, it is also only the fourth state-issue \$20 Red Seal to be reported for the entire state. While 125 Red Seals of all denominations are listed in the National Currency Foundation census for Oklahoma, almost all of them represent Territorial notes, as state-issue Red Seals for Oklahoma were only released between November 1907 until the end of the Red Seal era in mid-1908. To date, fewer than ten state-issue Oklahoma Red Seals have been recorded for all denominations.

Fortunately for collectors, this welcome new entrant is an attractive piece displaying just even wear and excellent color for the grade. This is a great note for either the Oklahoma or Red Seal specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**

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## Attractive Indian Territory \$10 Brown Back



20451 Purcell, IT - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 485 The Chickasaw National Bank Ch. # (W)4756 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.

A very nice Indian Territory Brown Back, this piece is one of just four reported for this McClain County bank, and only the second of that quartet to be publicly offered in the past 20 years. It is a well margined, pleasing mid-grade example with good color and signatures. Last on the market in a 1999 Smythe sale, it would be a great candidate for any collector seeking an appealing Indian Territory note without breaking the bank.

Starting Bid: \$7,500





**20452 Stratford, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)8524 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

One of only nine large notes from this Garvin County bank in the census, none of which have crossed the auction block in eight years, this example bears the lowest serial number reported from here. Nice color and strong pen signatures grace this evenly circulated \$10.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Newly Reported Taloga Large Size



**20453 Taloga, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The First National Bank Ch. # 7019 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15 Details.**

Though well circulated with a few problems, this note represents an excessively rare Dewey County bank. It is only the fourth example to be reported from this charter. This piece comes from the only bank to issue banknotes in this west central Oklahoma farming and ranching community, and is only the second example from here to ever be publicly offered in any venue. It does have some paper damage and rust stains, but presents a rare opportunity for a collector to finally add this obscure town to their holdings.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Vinita Territorial Brown Back



20454 Vinita, IT - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 485 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)4704 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25 PPQ.

This is one of seven Territorial examples reported from this bank, making it a perfect note for the collector who just wants to own one representative piece of these historic artifacts of the old west. Although the cut is considerably skewed, the overall appearance is still more than acceptable, with the note displaying bright paper, good color, bold signatures, and, most importantly, original surfaces. It has been off the market since our consignors obtained it in our 2007 FUN auction.

Starting Bid: \$7,500



20455 Wagoner, OK - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 546 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5016 PCGS Very Good 10.

A scarce early note from this Oklahoma bank, this piece is one of only two Second Charter Date Backs of any denomination in the census. It exhibits just plenty of honest wear and healthy color for the grade.

Starting Bid: \$750

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### One of Two Large Size Reported



20456 Washington, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 628 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)10277 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.

An excessively rare note from the sole issuer in this small McClain County community. While somewhat available in small size, this charter is just about impossible to locate in large as only two pieces are recorded in the census - a \$20 Plain Back, which has never made a public appearance and is listed without a grade, and the \$10 Plain Back we are offering this evening. Last on the market in a 2003 auction, it presents the first opportunity to acquire a large size note from this charter in almost 20 years. Fortunately, for collectors, it is a most attractive piece for the grade, with pleasing color and problem-free wear. This is a great note for the Oklahoma specialist and any collector who appreciate rare Nationals.

Starting Bid: \$3,750

## OREGON



20457 **McMinville, OR** - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 627 **The United States National Bank** Ch. # 9806 **PMG Very Fine 25**.

A great note from one of the rarest of all "Forbidden Title" banks. This is one of only four pieces documented by Track & Price, and the first to cross the auction block since 2006 when a raw VG 8 \$10 1902 Plain Back realized \$4,140. Fortunately for today's collectors, our current offering is a much nicer mid-grade example, with satisfactory color, even wear, and the penned signatures of Cashier L.H. Briedwell and President Arthur McPhillips. This is a bank that you would need to acquire in large size, as it closed in early 1929 before the conversion to small size notes.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## One of Two Large Notes Known



20458 **Paisley, OR** - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 656 **Paisley National Bank** Ch. # 10432 **PCGS Banknote Very Good 8**.

A great note from one of the smallest and scarcest banks in Oregon. The current census stands at two large and two small notes, with the last appearance of one of the large examples from this institution coming when we sold this piece in our 2012 FUN auction. Both of the known large size notes grade a well circulated but intact Very Good. The other reported example resides in very strong hands since we sold it in 2006. Therefore, this note offers the only opportunity to add a large note from this one bank community in the foreseeable future.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**

## PENNSYLVANIA

### One of Two Reported - First Offering Since 2000



20459 **Connellsville, PA** - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 499 **The Yough National Bank** Ch. # (E)4861 **PMG Choice Fine 15**.

A downright rare note from a western Pennsylvania bank, this institution issued Second Charter notes only before liquidating in 1913. To date, just two pieces are reported from this charter: a \$10 Date Back that made its last appearance in a 2000 auction and this \$20 Brown Back which has been off the market since we handled it in our May 1991 auction almost 30 years ago. The bank took its unusual name from the nearby Youghiogheny River, a tributary of the Monongahela River. This well margined \$20 shows just a bit of honest wear, retains nice color and clear signatures. It's a highlight of the many Fayette County notes we are offering in this sale.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



20460 **Connellsville, PA** - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 **The Citizens National Bank** Ch. # (E)6452 **PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ**.

A great new addition to the census of this scarce Fayette County bank, this piece is just the second Red Seal overall to be reported. Since the other known piece has not been seen since a 1979 Hickman-Oakes sale, this attractive, original \$20 presents an opportunity for today's collectors. It exhibits even wear, good color, and clear stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20461 Conshohocken, PA - \$5 1875 Fr. 405 The Tradesmen's National Bank Ch. # 2671 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very scarce note, this piece was issued from the second, and considerably smaller, of two note issuers that operated in this Montgomery County locale. This bank chartered in 1882, and although it survived the note issuing era, it chose to issue large size only. This offering is just the sixth piece to be reported, and the first we have handled in twenty years. It retains solid paper for the grade, but its face colors, particularly the red overprint, are rather faded.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20462 Dallas, PA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 8164 PMG Very Fine 30.**

An example from this much collected Luzerne County community, this note just the eleventh to be reported. Aside from a serial number 1 example, it is the first note to be publicly offered in any venue since we sold a PCGS Very Fine 25PPQ example for \$1,840 in 2012.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

## First Red Seal Offering in Over 20 Years



**20463 Johnstown, PA - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)2739 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

There are six notes enumerated in the census for this bank, but this is just the third example to be offered at public auction. The last two were a Brown Back in 2018, and another Red Seal back in 1996. Lovely stamped signatures are seen, and the overprint remains exceptionally vivid for the grade.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20464 Johnstown, PA - \$100 1902 Plain Back Fr. 705 The United States National Bank Ch. # 5913 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A great representation of the "forbidden" United States National bank title. The paper is bright, with a solid blue overprint. While other 1902 \$100s are noted in the census, this might be the first to be offered at auction in a couple decades, or more. There is a minor repair noted by PMG.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20465 Mauch Chunk, PA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 479 The First National Bank Ch. # 437 PMG Very Fine 20.**

Only the third National to emerge from the shadows from this Carbon County bank according to the National Bank Note Census, the example in this lot is much nicer than the other two survivors. It resides in a comment free third party holder and is an excellent representative for the grade, with dark penned signatures of Cashier Edgar Twining and President A(lexander) W. Leisenring. Charter number 437 liquidated in 1903 after being open for 39 years. Our research informs us that this is the very first auction appearance for this charter number since 1988. With that knowledge, our estimate will remain conservative, but it would not surprise us at all to see it swiftly surpassed.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## Serial Number 1 Mercer Small Size



20466 Mercer, PA - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 392 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

This is a lovely serial number 1 note from this Mercer County bank that made its last public appearance in our inaugural November 1990 auction. At the time, it was the only number 1 note reported from this charter, and still is today. The note is well margined with deep, original embossing, and ideal ink colors.

Starting Bid: \$750



20467 New Bloomfield, PA - \$5 1882 Value Back Fr. 574 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)5133 PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.

Surprisingly, most of the known examples of this type and denomination from this Perry County bank are serial number 1 notes. This attractive, well printed \$5 Date Back is a more affordable alternative. Deeply embossed and pen signed, this beauty is only held back from a higher grade by its centering.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20468 Philadelphia, PA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 469 The Fourth Street National Bank Ch. # (E)3557 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

A beautiful \$5 Brown Back from this large only Philadelphia bank, this piece has excellent color, bright paper, very dark signatures, and a wonderful bank title layout. Any evidence of circulation is not readily discernable through the holder of this pretty note.

Starting Bid: \$750

20469 Philadelphia, PA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 469 The Market Street National Bank Ch. # 3684 PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A high end Brown Back which is perfect for the type, this well margined, deeply inked \$5 shows no discernable evidence of circulation.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Sole \$50 Brown Back Reported



20470 Philadelphia, PA - \$50 1882 Brown Back Fr. 510 The Market Street National Bank Ch. # (E)3684 PMG Very Fine 25.

A great note, this offering is the only \$50 Brown Back reported from this scarce Philadelphia institution. It represents a genuinely scarce type from any location, with the nationwide count still under 350 examples extant from all banks in all states combined. This is a most attractive, moderately circulated example with even wear, great color, and solid margins all around.

Starting Bid: \$2,000





20471 Pittsburgh, PA - \$20 1875 Fr. 432 The Duquesne National Bank Ch. # 2278 PMG Very Fine 20.

A very pretty First Charter \$20 from this Pittsburgh bank that fell into receivership in 1932, the note possesses vibrant color, bold signatures, four very wide margins for the type, and has sustained only moderate, problem free wear. A premium mid-grade example of this underrated type.

Starting Bid: \$1,125



20472 Pittsburgh, PA - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 552 The Duquesne National Bank Ch. # (E)2278 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

Bright paper and deeply stamped purple signatures highlight this near-Gem note, which is readily available for the type.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20473 Pittsburgh, PA - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 552 The Duquesne National Bank Ch. # (E)2278 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

Rich blue hues are noted in the seal, charter, and serial numbers. The paper is fresh and original, earning the note the Exceptional Paper Quality designation from PMG.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$875

20474 Pittsburgh, PA - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 552 The Duquesne National Bank Ch. # (E)2278 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

This is a great type note if you are looking for a \$20 1882 Date Back. Original paper wave, bold embossing, dark inks, and purple rubber-stamped signatures are seen on this lightly handled example.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Finest Ever Offering from the Bank



20475 Pittsburgh, PA - \$10 1882 Value Back Fr. 577 The Bank of Pittsburgh, National Assoc Ch. # (E)5225 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

Stunning embossing is noted through the third party holder here. The colors are ideal, with bright white paper as the backdrop. Our records show that this is the finest third party graded note from this bank to be offered at auction. A great note for the Pennsylvania specialist.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20476 Reading, PA - \$5 1875 Fr. 405 The Keystone National Bank Ch. # 1875 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 30 PPQ.

A lovely First Charter Five that bears a great Pennsylvania title along with a charter number that matches its Series 1875 status, this note makes for an intriguing display piece. This bright and original note was once a centerpiece of the Peter Huntoon collection.

Starting Bid: \$1,125

## High Grade Ridley Park Large Size



20477 **Ridley Park, PA** - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 632 **The Ridley Park National Bank** Ch. # 10847 PMG About Uncirculated 55.

A wonderful new addition to the census of the only bank to issue in this Delaware County Philadelphia suburb. Not only is it just the fourth large size to be reported, it easily outpaces the other three known examples, none of which grades higher than a raw Very Fine. This is a beautiful note with vibrant color, dark printed signatures, and only very slight traces of handling. It's a real winner of a note that also bears an appealing town name.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

20478 **Roaring Spring, PA** - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 **First National Bank** Ch. # 12304 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A tough note which is always in demand due to its unusual town name, this example is a new addition to the census of barely a dozen pieces reported. While it features bright paper and nice margins, it did spend some time in a PVC-laden holder.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Serial Number 1 Rochester Red Seal



20479 **Rochester, PA** - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 **The First National Bank** Ch. # (E)2977 PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.

A lovely serial number 1 Red Seal from this Beaver County bank, the note features vibrant color, original embossing, and bold pen signatures. It has the appearance of a fully Choice CU note through the holder, and in fact, in its last auction appearance in a 1985 Hickman-Oakes sale, John Hickman did indeed call it Choice CU. However, PMG saw, or imagined, something in assigning an AU grade for this pretty note. Nevertheless, it is great note for the Pennsylvania specialist or anyone who appreciates number 1 Red Seals.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



20480 **Slippery Rock, PA** - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 **The First National Bank** Ch. # 6483 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A very scarce Butler County note, this offering bears one of the greater town names to be found on many of the National Bank Notes. Tonight's offering is one of just ten small size reported, and is the nicest Series 1929 example in the census.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

20481 **Somerset, PA** - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 607 **The Farmers National Bank** Ch. # 5452 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

A most attractive note, this piece hails from this scarce Somerset County bank, where most of its known large size examples are very low grade. This gorgeous Plain Back is quite the opposite with bright, white paper, and bold signatures - one signed and one stamped.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



20482 **Spangler, PA** - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 **The First National Bank** Ch. # 7181 PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A great new addition to the census of this scarce Cambria County bank, this piece is just the fourth large size to be reported. It is also easily the finest of that quartet, with none of the other three known pieces grading above Fine. Just a few light folds are found on this pretty \$5 Plain Back that sports attractive color and bold stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$875**





20483 Tionesta, PA - \$100 1902 Plain Back Fr. 704 The Forest County National Bank Ch. # 5038 PMG Very Fine 30.

Fifties and hundreds only were issued from this bank in Third Charter notes. This note is only the seventh large example overall to be reported from this charter. It is an attractive, moderately circulated \$100 with pleasing color and dark stamped signatures.

Starting Bid: \$750

20484 Uniontown, PA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 National Bank of Fayette County Ch. # (E)681 PMG Very Fine 25.

While not a rare bank, this newly reported example is just the second Red Seal to surface from this Fayette County institution and the first \$10. It's far nicer than the other known Red Seal, a \$20 in Very Good that we sold in 2008. It displays a deeply inked red overprint and bold pen signatures.

Starting Bid: \$750

### Newly Surfaced Serial Number 1 Uniontown \$10 Brown Back



20485 Uniontown, PA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 487 The Second National Bank Ch. # 5034 PMG Very Fine 30.

We are pleased to offer the first serial number 1 note to surface from this scarce western Pennsylvania bank. Best of all, it's the top note from the first sheet the bank issued after it opened its doors in 1896 and was likely set aside as a treasured souvenir by a proud bank officer. Not being a collector, the bank officer did not take the greatest care in preserving this piece of financial history. This \$10 has some storage folds, and the top margin is a tad miscut with a small piece off the top right corner tip. Nevertheless, the note displays plenty of eye appeal with bright paper, virtually all of its original ink colors, and pen signatures that appear to have been applied this morning.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

### Rare Vanderbilt Small Size



20486 Vanderbilt, PA - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 8190 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A great new discovery from this excessively rare Fayette County bank, this exciting banknote is offered for the first time to the collecting fraternity. Prior to this evening, just one large size and three small were reported from the sole issuer in this obscure western Pennsylvania community. Opening in 1906, this bank issued mere pocket change until the receiver arrived to close the doors in 1930. However, of the four known notes, only a small size \$10 in rather wretched condition has ever appeared at public auction. This offering is an evenly circulated and well margined note displaying just problem-free wear.

Starting Bid: \$750

### First Reported Red Seal



20487 Wernersville, PA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 614 The Wernersville National Bank Ch. # (E)8131 PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.

We are pleased to offer to the collecting fraternity this evening the first reported Red Seal from this Berks County bank. The bank opened for business in 1906 and therefore began its note issue with Third Charter Red Seals, none of which had surfaced until this pretty note came along. It has seen just very light circulation and retains a bold red overprint and dark pen signatures.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## RHODE ISLAND



20488 Pawtucket, RI - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 470 The Pacific National Bank Ch. # 1616 PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.

A very rare note with this title, its bank of origin issued only \$5 Brown Backs after its title change in 1889. This is only the fifth note to reported with this title, all of which are about equal in grade. This pleasing example displays good color, solid paper, and lovely pen signatures.

Starting Bid: \$750

## SOUTH CAROLINA

### Lovely PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ



20489 Orangeburg, SC - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 13918 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A very scarce South Carolina small size note, this piece comes from a late charter bank which issued for only a year and a half during the depths of the Depression. The census shows only six examples extant. It is a bright, well embossed note with wide margins and great centering. All of the known notes are circulated examples but for one other PMG Gem Unc 65 EPQ that we sold for \$4,406.25 in our 2014 FUN sale.

Starting Bid: \$1,250

## TENNESSEE

### One of Two Known



20490 Memphis, TN - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 635 Southern National Bank Ch. # (S)12348 PMG Choice Fine 15.

A great note, this piece is one of only two known from this short-lived issuer which lasted for less than two years between 1923 and 1925. The only other note reported from this bank is a circulated serial number 1 example, which last appeared in a 1982 auction and hasn't been seen since. This is an evenly circulated piece with strong signatures and a nice overall appearance.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



20491 Sparta, TN - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 617 The American National Bank Ch. # (S)7912 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.

An extremely scarce White bank, this institution issued large notes only between 1905 and 1923. Of the six pieces known, only two have been offered publicly since 2002, including this example. It is a bright and original note, with nice color and signatures.

Starting Bid: \$875





20492 Tracy City, TN - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 7314 PMG Very Fine 30.

A new entrant to the census, this piece hails from the sole issuer in rural Grundy County. It is just the ninth small size to be reported from here. However, of that number only two other 1929 Series examples have been publicly offered in any venue since 2004. This \$10 is a solid note for the grade with good color and problem-free wear.

Starting Bid: \$750

## TEXAS

### Newly Reported Carthage Large Size



20493 Carthage, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)6197 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

An attractive new addition to the census, this extremely scarce east Texas bank note is just the fifth large size to be reported. However, two of the other four known notes are ensconced in the Philpott/Moody Foundation holdings and no others have crossed the public auction block in almost ten years. It is an absolute peach of a note with bright, white paper and vibrant ink colors.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



20494 Colorado, TX - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The Colorado National Bank Ch. # (S)2801 PMG Very Fine 25.

This tiny west Texas county seat community, whose population never exceeded 4600 during the national bank note issuing era, was home to six issuing banks, four of which remain unreported to this day. Large notes from the other two issuers are very scarce as well, with this bank having just eight large size reported, at least two of which are ensconced in the Moody Foundation holdings. This is an evenly circulated and well signed example of a large size note bearing a great "two state" town name.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



20495 Dallas, TX - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 490 The City National Bank Ch. # 2455 PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A lovely high grade \$10 Brown Back from this major Dallas bank, the note features wide margins, bright paper, and sharp ink colors. Its only flaw is minor evidence of a previous mounting on the back.

Starting Bid: \$750

## First Offering Since 2005



20496 Fort Stockton, TX - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 9848 PMG Very Fine 25.

An excessively rare note, this offering is from the only bank to issue in Pecos County in southwestern Texas. It is the first piece from this charter to be publicly offered anywhere since 2005. The First National was short-lived affair opening in 1910, and failing in the Depression in 1931. To date, just two large and two small are reported from this obscure charter. This offering is one of the two known small size, and has been off the market since the sale of the Irish collection in 1997. The top margin is cut into the design, but otherwise, it is a fresh and bright example with pleasing ink colors.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20498 Gilmer, TX - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 545 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)5288 PMG Very Fine 25.

An attractive Date Back, this note is from this East Texas bank for which there are just six large size reported. One of that half dozen is a \$10 Date Back listed without a grade or serial number. This offering well may be that note. Either way, it is a pleasing, evenly circulated example from a very tough bank.

Starting Bid: \$750



20497 Fort Worth, TX - \$50 1902 Plain Back Fr. 682 The First National Bank Ch. # 2349 PMG About Uncirculated 53.

A handsome high denomination Plain Back from this large only Fort Worth bank, this is the finest example we have ever offered from this charter. It comes with bright paper, dark inks, and only minimal traces of handling.

Starting Bid: \$875



20499 Henderson, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 608 The First National Bank Ch. # 6176 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.

A lovely, high grade large size example from this better Rusk County bank, this note bears a 1922 plate date. It is a new addition to the census of just eleven pieces reported. With none of the other known examples grading above Very Fine, it becomes the finest known from this charter.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

20500 Hereford, TX - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 659 The Hereford National Bank Ch. # 5604 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

A high end example from this Deaf Smith County bank, this piece is new to the census and one of the finer pieces we have seen or heard of from here. The purple stamped signatures have faded a bit, but the note still displays bright paper and great color.

Starting Bid: \$750

20501 Lubbock, TX - \$50 1929 Ty. 1 The Lubbock National Bank Ch. # 12683 PCGS Very Fine 30.

A scarce west Texas high denomination example, this piece is one of just four \$50s reported from this small size-only bank. It is a bright and crisp note that made its last public appearance in a 2009 auction.

Starting Bid: \$750





**20502 Marshall, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 The State National Bank Ch. # 12703 PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

While small notes are occasionally offered from here, large examples are scarce indeed. This piece is just the ninth to be reported. With a meager \$920 outstanding in large by 1935, don't look for too many more examples to surface. Most of the known examples are of quite low grade. This new addition is now the finest reported.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20503 Midland, TX - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 653 The First National Bank Ch. # 4368 PMG Very Good 10.**

A just plain rare note, this piece is from the city which served as the hotbed of Texas National Bank Note collectors for three decades. Only five large and one small note are reported from here, despite decades of searching. Two of the five large examples are ensconced in the unyielding hands of the Moody Foundation. This well circulated but still solid \$20 Plain Back is one of the reported five, and was last on the market in our 2010 Memphis auction.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20504 San Antonio, TX - \$10 1882 Value Back Fr. 577 The Frost National Bank Ch. # (S)5179 PMG Very Fine 20.**

One of the nicer of the five \$10 Value Backs known from this otherwise common San Antonio bank, this offering is evenly circulated, problem free, and retains original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20505 Shiner, TX - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 477 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)5628 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

The quintessential Texas \$5 Brown Back, this nicely preserved example sports that right off the printing press look, with the addition of dark pen signatures of Cashier Philip Welhausen and Vice President Wm. Green. The Welhausen family usually occupied the cashier and president positions of charter number 5628 from the moment the doors were swung open in November, 1900 to beyond the end of the National Bank Note era. The only years the Welhausens did not serve were in 1909-14 when Earl Fry served as cashier and in 1915 when the post was vacant. However, Peck Welhausen stepped up to the plate to accept the position of cashier in 1916 and he remained in that position until after the National era. On the presidential side, there were only two presidents, father Charles Welhausen, who served as president 1900-17 and his son C(harles) B. Welhausen whose term lasted from 1918 to after the National era.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20506 Texas City, TX - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 619 The Texas City National Bank Ch. # (S)10040 PMG Very Fine 25.**

This is just the seventh large size to be reported from this scarce Galveston County bank, and only the second Date Back. While this moderately circulated \$10 does have some minor staining, it retains attractive color for the grade. Included with the lot is a Texas City envelope in which the note was stored for many years. (Total: 2 items)

**Starting Bid: \$750**

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### Serial Number 1 Tyler, TX 1902 PB



20507 Tyler, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # 13110 PMG About Uncirculated 50.

An attractive double serial number 1 example from this scarce Tyler bank, which issued large notes for only two years. This "B" position note is new to the census, joining the "A" position note from the first sheet of \$5 Plain Backs that we sold in 2013. It is a pen signed beauty, with just some light handling and a bit of trimming of its margins.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

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### Brown Back Only Bank - One of Four Known



20508 Weatherford, TX - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 483 The Merchants & Farmers National Bank Ch. # 3975 PMG Fine 12.

A very rare Weatherford bank which issued Brown Backs only before liquidating at the expiration of its charter at the end of 1908. Just four notes are recorded in the census, with one impounded in the Moody Foundation holdings. This evenly circulated and solid \$10 is one of the reported four notes and was last on the market in our 2010 Central States auction.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

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## Choice About New Brigham City Brown Back



20509 Brigham City, UT - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 490 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)6036 PCGS Banknote About Unc 55.

A lovely small town Utah Brown Back, this piece formerly graced the collection of Richard Dreger. It is the only Brown Back from Brigham City to reach the market since an Extremely Fine number 1 example was sold back in 2005 for \$57,500. This is a spectacular western rarity fit for the finest of collections.

Starting Bid: \$12,500



20510 Morgan, UT - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)6958 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.

A very scarce Utah bank, whose the current census stands at about a dozen large and two small notes, issued this evenly circulated example which is one of those reported notes. We are excited to publicly offer this piece for the first time. The note features solid paper and legible signatures, one signed and one stamped.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20511 Salt Lake City, UT - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 487 The Deseret National Bank Ch. # (P)2059 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20 PPQ.

A pleasing mid-grade Utah \$10 Brown Back, this note would be an ideal candidate to represent the Beehive State in a type set. The well margined piece displays excellent color for the grade, bold signatures, and original surfaces.

Starting Bid: \$1,250

### Elusive Spanish Fork, UT \$10 Plain Back



20512 Spanish Fork, UT - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The First National Bank Ch. # 9111 PCGS Banknote Fine 12 PPQ.

Spanish Fork is due south of Salt Lake City and Provo near the banks of Lake Utah. It was still remote in the 1920s, supporting a lone bank that struggled to even issue \$300,000 in bank notes from 1908 before being liquidated in 1930. The last and only other offered large size note from this rare Utah County bank in the past 15 years appeared in our 2017 Long Beach auction, where the impaired PMG Very Fine 20 example fetched \$10,200. One of just four pieces in the census, this is a pleasing, evenly circulated note that has retained original surfaces.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



## VIRGINIA



20513 Fredericksburg, VA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 603 The Planters National Bank Ch. # 10325 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

A well centered beauty, this piece is as nice as any note we've seen or heard of from this better Virginia bank. The colors are as bold and vibrant as the day the note left the press, contrasting perfectly with the note's bright white paper. Expect bidding to easily reach, and possibly well exceed...

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20514 Gordonsville, VA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 602 The National Bank of Gordonsville Ch. # 10287 PMG Very Fine 25.

An extremely rare bank, especially in large size, a miniscule \$960 was outstanding from this institution in 1935. This attractive mid-grade piece is one of just five large in the census and is certainly as nice as any of the other known examples. Last on the market in our 2010 FUN auction, it features bright paper and even wear.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



20515 Luray, VA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The Page Valley National Bank Ch. # (S)6206 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

An attractive Red Seal from this scarce Page County bank, this piece is one of only a dozen large size reported. It features even wear, a bold red overprint, dark pen signatures, and low serial number 22.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

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## Second Reported Martinsville Small Size



20516 Martinsville, VA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # 9847 PMG Very Fine 25.

Somewhat available in large size, this better Martinsville bank has been downright impossible to find in small size, undoubtedly because it closed its doors during the Depression in early 1932. A few years ago, the first reported small example finally turned up from this bank, and fetched \$10,575 when sold at auction in 2017. Strong prices, such as that five-figure realization, have an uncanny tendency to draw additional examples out of the woodwork, and as often happens, another piece has turned up. Tonight, we are pleased to offer the second reported 1929 Series note from this rare charter. It is an evenly circulated \$5 and is identical in grade to the \$10 sold over three years ago. A wonderful opportunity for another Virginia collector to finally add this charter in small size to their holdings.

Starting Bid: \$3,000

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## Newly Reported Virginia \$100 Red Seal



20517 Petersburg, VA - \$100 1902 Red Seal Fr. 686 The Virginia National Bank Ch. # (S)7709 PMG Very Fine 20.

A fantastic note which is one of the highlights of tonight's auction. Only about 125 \$100 Red Seals are known from all banks in the country combined, with Virginia accounting for only four examples. This welcome new addition increases that total to a mere five. One of those other four notes is a piece from Parksley graded "Good" which has been off from the market for so long that its serial number is unrecorded. The other three notes come from this Petersburg bank. However, of those three other Petersburg notes, none have been available to collectors for the past decade. Fortunately for collectors, this example is bright for the grade, with a vivid red overprint and strong printed signatures. PMG has mentioned a minor restoration, but any such repair is more than offset by the great opportunity this pleasing note provides to today's collectors to acquire an excessively rare Virginia type and denomination.

Starting Bid: \$7,500

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## WASHINGTON

### First Large Size Offering in Fifteen Years.



**20518 Aberdeen, WA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 661 The American National Bank Ch. # 13091 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 30 PPQ.**

The American operated for less than five years before being voluntarily liquidated on December 4, 1931 and then absorbed by Aberdeen National. That bank then became responsible for the redemption of the American's outstanding circulation. The census has counted just 9 large from this elusive bank, including this example, none of which has been publicly offered in any venue since 2006. This bright and original example is one of the finer survivors with only one of the other known large size reported in a grade above Fine.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20519 Bellingham, WA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # 7372 PCGS Banknote Fine 12 PPQ.**

Although Series 1929 examples are easily found from this Bellingham bank, large notes are another matter entirely, with just a dozen examples in the census. Tonight's offering is one of that dozen, and is making its inaugural auction appearance. It has seen its share of circulation, but retains a wholesome ink color and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

### Rare Centralia Large Size - Ex-Lester Merkin Sale



**20520 Centralia, WA - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 644 The United States National Bank Ch. # (P)8736 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

From an excessively rare Lewis County bank, this attractive offering is one of a mere three notes known from this short-lived charter which issued Red Seals and Date Backs only between 1907 and 1914. Off the market since its lone public appearance in a 1972 Lester Merkin sale, it also represents one of the very scarcest of the 30 or so banks around the country that carried a popular "Forbidden Title" that was banned by Congress in 1926. Of the other two known pieces from this bank, one is an impaired Red Seal, and the other is a \$5 Date Back that has never appeared at public sale. This is a pleasing mid-grade example with solid paper and bold stamped signatures. A great note for the Evergreen State specialist or any collector who appreciates rare Nationals.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



20521 Centralia, WA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 661 First National Bank Ch. # 13099 PMG Very Fine 20 Net.

The first large note from this scarce and seldom offered Lewis County bank to appear in one of our auctions since 2001, it is just the ninth large size to be reported overall. More importantly, it is just the second example of that scant number to cross the auction block in almost 15 years. Despite some repairs and rust stains, it faces up quite nicely for the grade with good color and bold purple stamped signatures.

Starting Bid: \$1,500

## Choice Uncirculated Colfax Large Size



20523 Colfax, WA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The Colfax National Bank Ch. # 7095 PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.

Not a scarce Washington State bank, but this well preserved note is the only CU large size recorded in the census from this charter. It is quite attractive with vibrant color, bold purple stamped signatures, and fully original paper surfaces.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

## First Public Offering Since 2009



20522 Cheney, WA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The National Bank of Cheney Ch. # (P)9080 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.

This is a truly rare note from this small eastern Washington bank. This charter number issued large notes only during its brief existence from 1908 until 1928. To date, just six pieces are recorded from here, none of which have made a public appearance in almost a dozen years. This example is one of that half dozen and is the only recorded Date Back, with the other five known notes all being Plain Backs. It exhibits problem free wear along with sharp ink color and bold stamped signatures.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



20524 Dayton, WA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 The Columbia National Bank Ch. # (P)2772 PMG Very Fine 20.

One of only ten large notes in the census from this scarce Columbia County bank. According to Track & Price, this \$20 is one of the finer pieces known, showing even wear with just some staining noted by the grading service.

Starting Bid: \$875





20525 Ellensburg, WA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The Washington National Bank Ch. # 9079 PCGS Banknote Extremely Fine 40.

A lovely note from this Washington State bank. According to Track & Price, this is the finest reported large size of the dozen or so pieces in the census. It features bright, white paper, blazing ink colors, and just a few light folds.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

### Third Reported Medical Lake Large Size



20526 Medical Lake, WA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 600 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)9030 PMG Very Fine 25.

An excessively rare Washington State large size note, this piece bears one of the best town names used on Nationals. This small community of 5000 people is located in far eastern Washington a few miles outside of Spokane. It took its name from a nearby lake that Native Americans felt held medicinal qualities. It is also, somewhat appropriately, home to a state psychiatric hospital. The First National opened in 1908 and survived the note-issuing era with just \$1480 in large size outstanding in 1935. Prior to this evening, just two large size had surfaced, one being a \$5 Red Seal in Very Good condition that has never appeared at public sale, and the other a \$5 Plain Back graded PMG Choice Fine 15, that fetched \$14,100 in our 2015 Long Beach auction. The piece we are pleased to offer this evening becomes the third large size to be reported. It has sustained some circulation, but save for a few pinholes, it retains solid paper for the grade, displays decent color, and legible stamped signatures.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



**20527 Montesano, WA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 607 The Montesano National Bank Ch. # (P)5472 PCGS Banknote Extremely Fine 40 PPQ.**  
A rather scarce Grays Harbor County bank with only a dozen large size in the census. More importantly, only two of those pieces have been publicly offered in the past dozen years. This pretty note is, quite likely, the finest known large size and features bright, original paper surfaces, attractive color, and legible stamped signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20530 Pasco, WA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 600 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)9265 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15 Details.**  
An excessively rare Washington bank from the only issuer in this small community. The bank issued large notes only until its descent into receivership in 1925. The Track & Price census stands at just four examples, all in about the same grade, including tonight's offering. It is a well circulated note with some toning to its paper and a repaired edge splits. Nevertheless, its overall appearance remains quite appealing, with decent color and legible stamped signatures. Another great rarity from tonight's offering of special Washington State notes.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20528 Montesano, WA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 First National Bank Ch. # 5472 PMG Very Fine 25.**  
A rather scarce Grays Harbor County bank, it has only a dozen or so small size notes recorded in the census spread over two titles. More importantly, only one of those notes has been publicly offered in the past ten years. That lone appearance was in our last Central States auction, where a PMG Very Fine 20 note, bearing the same title as tonight's offering, brought \$3,120.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20531 Ritzville, WA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 633 The First National Bank Ch. # 5751 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.**  
While somewhat available in small size, this Adams County bank is excessively rare in large, with just four notes in the census, including this example. This attractive piece has never made a public appearance until this evening. Ritzville was named after Philip Ritz who settled in the area around 1880 and, today, the city has a population of about 1,700. This piece has seen its share of circulation, but is solid for the grade with good color and bold stamped signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20529 Olympia, WA - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The Capital National Bank Ch. # 4297 PMG Very Fine 25.**  
A decent circulated and problem-free example, this piece represents the sole bank to issue Series 1929 notes from Washington's state capital. In our recent FUN auction, we sold a PMG Very Fine 30 note with minor rust for \$1,920.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20532 Spokane, WA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 617 The Traders National Bank Ch. # (P)3409 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A very scarce eastern Washington State bank, this institution issued large size only before liquidating in 1914. To date, fewer than a dozen pieces are reported, including one Territorial Brown Back. More importantly, that Territorial note is the only example from here to cross the public auction block in over a dozen years. This evenly circulated and problem free Date Back in one of the notes in the census, and represents the first piece we have ever been able to offer from this seldom available bank.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20534 Tacoma, WA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 635 The Puget Sound National Bank Ch. # 12292 PMG Very Fine 30.**

While small size notes abound from this Tacoma bank, large examples are another matter entirely, with the census standing at only seven pieces. This offering is one of those seven, and is tied for the finest reported from this charter. It is a bright and crisp note with excellent color and bold signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20533 Stanwood, WA - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 11935 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

A very tough small size only Stanwood bank, examples from here have had no public appearances since we sold an impaired Very Fine example seven years ago. That has been the sole note offered from this charter since 2003. This piece is a great new addition to the census of just six known single notes. It is easily the finest of that group. (An Uncut Sheet is also reported, but it has never appeared for public sale). This \$20 is a bright and original note with just a couple of light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## WEST VIRGINIA

### Scarce West Virginia 1875 \$20



20535 Weston, WV - \$20 1875 Fr. 432 The National Exchange Bank Ch. # 1607 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.

A scarce type in general, and particularly so from West Virginia, where the census of Series 1875 twenties stands at only a dozen from all issuing banks combined. This pretty note is certainly one of the finer survivors. Its assigned grade certainly appears a bit conservative with flashy ink colors and problem free wear. It is one of just two 1875 \$20s recorded in the census for this Lewis County institution and the only one of the pair to ever be publicly offered.

Starting Bid: \$2,500

## WISCONSIN



20536 Wheeling, WV - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 477 The National Exchange Bank Ch. # (S)5164 PCGS Banknote About Unc 50.

Bright paper and dark signatures are attributes of this beautiful \$5 Brown Back from this popular Wheeling bank. The note is from the "D" plate position and includes its full bottom selvage. Its only flaw is some very minor ink erosion found on the back.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



20537 Ashland, WI - \$100 1902 Date Back Fr. 691 The Northern National Bank Ch. # (M)3607 PMG Very Fine 20.

A new addition to the census of this scarce Ashland bank, this is only the second \$100 Date Back to be reported. It exhibits just even wear and legible signatures. This is the first large size \$100 from this charter to be publicly offered in almost 20 years.

Starting Bid: \$750





20538 Milwaukee, WI - \$5 1882 Value Back Fr. 574 The Marine National Bank Ch. # (M)5458 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ. True to the theme of this collection, this note was selected for fresh, original paper, bold embossing, and rich colors. A lovely example of the type. *From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

## WYOMING

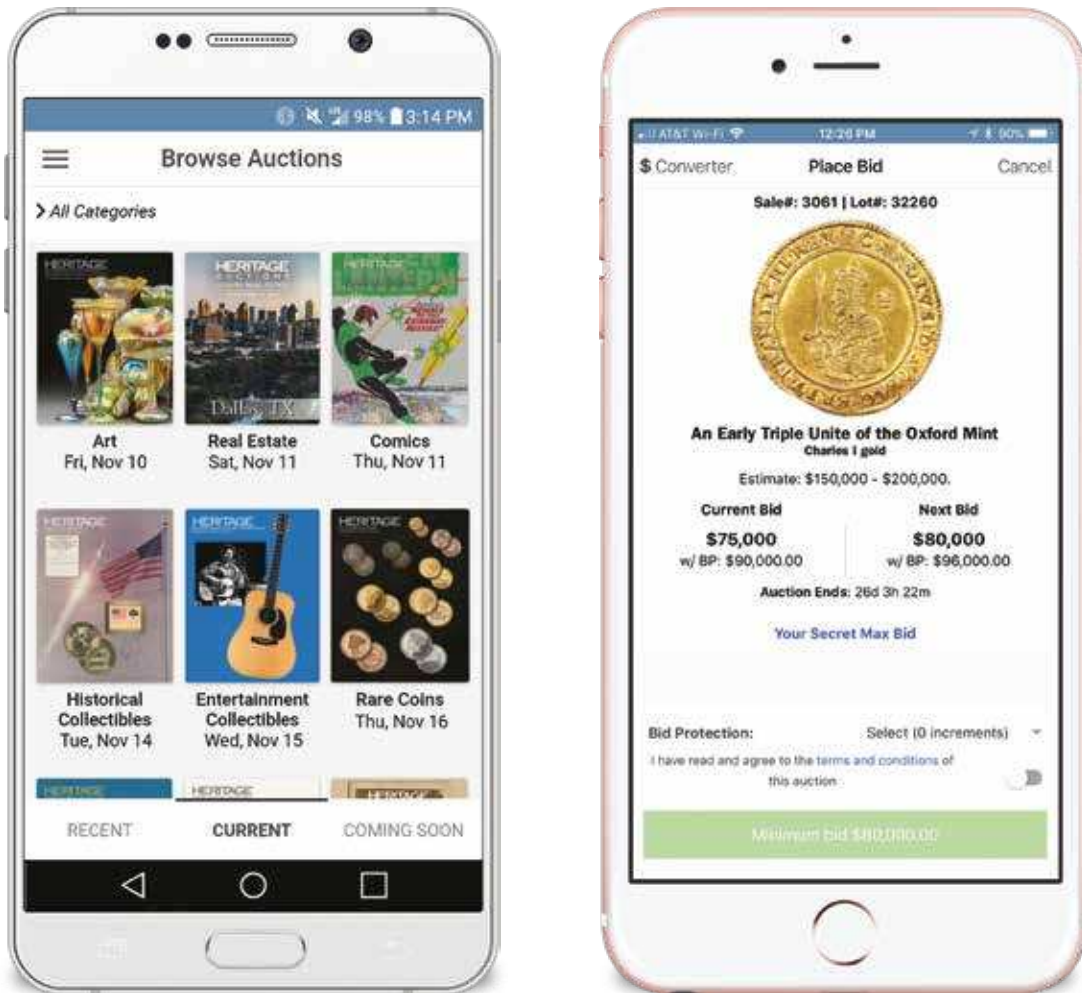


20539 Douglas, WY - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 652 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)3556 PMG Fine 12. A new addition to the census of this scarce large-only Wyoming bank that gave up its charter in 1923, it is a well circulated but solid note that still displays decent color and legible stamped signatures.  
Starting Bid: \$750

End of Session Two

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# SESSION THREE

## SMALL SIZE

### LEGAL TENDER NOTES



**20540 Fr. 1500 \$1 1928 Legal Tender Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

A top pop example is offered here. PMG has graded only four at this exalted grade level with none higher. The gorgeous \$1 Legal in this lot is from the famed first 5,000 of this issue that was released through the teller windows of the Treasury Cash Room in Washington, DC during the spring of 1933. Superb centering within balanced margins is found on this strictly original note with serial number 4995.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20541 Fr. 1500 \$1 1928 Legal Tender Note. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A well centered plate letter C note with wide balanced margins, this offering displays a paper guide line marker at bottom center. Premium paper quality consists of punch through embossing of the serial numbers and natural paper wave. This example has a serial number near the end of the print run.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Low Serial Number 6 Fr. 1501



**20542 Fr. 1501 \$2 1928 Legal Tender Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This note, from the first sheet printed, offers a wonderful opportunity to own a single digit example from the first \$2 Red Seal Small Size issue that made its debut in 1929 during The Great Depression. In our last Central States auction, we sold the serial number 9 note from the first sheet for \$3,120.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

## PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ Complete Sheet



**20543 Fr. 1506 \$2 1928E Legal Tender Notes. Uncut Sheet of Twelve. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Uncut sheets were either bought at the Cash Room of the Treasury Building or ordered by mail. Sheets were then mailed to collectors rolled in a tube. Uncut sheet sales were stopped on January 6, 1954. The government did not resume the selling of uncut sheets until October 26, 1981. It has been close to three years since we sold one of these 1928-E Series sheets. That was also a PMG Gem Unc 65 EPQ and it realized \$2,640 in a much weaker market.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20544 Fr. 1509 \$2 1953 Legal Tender Notes. Uncut Sheet of Eighteen. PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

Serial number 49 is found on the first note of this nicely centered sheet. It must be remembered that sheets of 18 have the serial numbers advance by 8000 per note vertically down the columns. This is the story often told for the stoppage of Uncut Sheet sales, 'One night the new Secretary of the Treasury George M. Humphrey was having dinner at a Washington, DC restaurant. At a nearby table a man proceeded to pull out an uncut sheet and started to cut notes off of it to pay his bill. Mr. Humphrey was so infuriated by this action that he had sales of uncut sheets stopped.' Uncut sheet sales were halted on January 6, 1954.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20545 Changeover Pair Fr. 1525/1526 \$5 1928/1928A Legal Tender Notes.** PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

A changeover pair occurs when consecutive notes are from two different series or two different signature combinations. The first printed acknowledgment of changeover pairs that this cataloguer can find was by Farran Zerbe on page 672 of the November, 1928 issue of *The Numismatist*. This was shortly followed by William Philpott on page 727 of the December, 1928 *The Numismatist*, where Philpott had observed the same phenomena. They described not only changeover pairs, but also reverse changeover pairs involving what would later become Fr. 237 and 238 notes. However, neither numismatist actually had names for these numismatic novelties. Both notes in the changeover pair in this lot exhibit embossing. There are also far fewer changeover and reverse changeover pairs for Legal Tenders than for Silver Certificates and FRNs. In fact, this is the only example of this changeover pair listed in the tenth edition of the Schwartz-Lindquist reference.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20546 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1526/1525 \$5 1928A/1928 Legal Tender Notes.** PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;

**Bookends for the Above Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1526/1525 \$5 1928A/1928 Legal Tender Notes.** PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

Not only was the reverse changeover pair saved, but also the preceeding and succeeding notes. Bookends were seldom saved with changeover/reverse changeover pairs. All four consecutive notes display paper originality plus ideal color. "Exceptional Paper Quality" is spelled out on the back label for this quartet graded in the early days of PMG. This is the only example of this reverse changeover pair listed in the tenth edition of the Schwartz-Lindquist reference.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20547 Changeover Pair Fr. 1530/1531 \$5 1928E/1928F Mule/Non-Mule Non-Wide/Wide I Legal Tender Notes.** PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

All \$5 Legal changeover pairs are rare, with just about all of the possible issuing combinations represented by only one or two numbers in the Oakes reference. This pair may well be unique, as Oakes notes "Reportedly one pair known, serials not reported." This beautiful and excessively rare pair will give one lucky collector a chance to complete a set of these intriguing changeover pairs.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## SILVER CERTIFICATES



**20548 Solid Serial Number 66666666 Fr. 1601 \$1 1928A Silver Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

Serial number 66666666 is worn by this P-A block \$1 Silver that has just sustained some light handling. Solid serial numbers on these early \$1 Silvers are scarce and seldom offered.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20549 Fr. 1603★ \$1 1928C Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 25 Net.** This is the second most valuable star in the \$1 Silver Certificate series. This offering is just the thirteenth piece to be reported. It has had some repairs, but they are well done. This example displays excellent color for the grade and has an overall pleasing appearance. In our recent Central States auction, we sold another PMG Very Fine 25 example that has some staining for \$2,880.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20550 Fr. 1603★ \$1 1928C Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Fine 15.** This is the second most valuable star in the \$1 Silver Certificate series, coming in right behind the ultra-rare 1928E. This \$1 star faces up nicely with just plenty of honest wear. It is one of just a dozen serial numbers in the census for this rare Friedberg number.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Rare \$1 1928D Silver Star Note



**20551 Fr. 1604★ \$1 1928D Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 20.**

This is a truly rare star in any grade, with the number of offerings of this key piece nearly on par with the far more celebrated and much more expensive 1928E Silver star. This is one of just two dozen pieces reported. It is a solid, problem-free note that exhibits great color and just honest wear.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20552 Fr. 1604★ \$1 1928D Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 20.**

This will be the 25th example of this star to be listed in Track & Price. It is evenly circulated and has earned a comment free holder. We recently auctioned another PMG VF 20 Fr. 1604★ in a comment free holder in January, 2020. That star realized \$2,880 on an estimate of \$2,500 to \$3,500. A similar performance is expected one year later.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**20553 Fr. 1604★ \$1 1928D Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Fine 15.**  
A truly rare star in any grade, this offering is a new addition to the census of a mere two dozen examples. It is a solid problem-free note that exhibits great color and just honest wear. With CU examples bringing strong five-figure prices, this appealing mid-grade example presents a much more affordable opportunity to acquire this tough \$1 Silver replacement note.  
*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20555 Fr. 1605 \$1 1928E Silver Certificate. PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**  
Serial number F72000246B adorns this beautiful key \$1 Silver from a series that began with serial F72000001B. Our ruler tells us that the centering on this note is so very close to being perfect between balanced margins. This pretty note is a new addition to the Track & Price census and is crossing the auction block for the first time.  
*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

### Superb Gem New 67 EPQ 1928E \$1 Silver



**20554 Fr. 1605 \$1 1928E Silver Certificate. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**  
A lovely note that boasts broad margins, vivid colors, and full embossing. The printing of Series 1928E \$1 Silver Certificates started with serial number F72000001B. This piece is the 249th note of the run and one of a few very nice pieces saved for posterity.  
*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20556 Solid Serial Number 44444444 Fr. 1607 \$1 1935 Silver Certificate. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**  
Serial number 44444444 and original paper surfaces are possessed by this H-A block example.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20557 Fr. 1612 \$1 1935C Silver Certificates. Uncut Sheet of Twelve. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The twelve subject sheets are the only sheets during the small size era that have consecutively serial numbered individual notes. This Uncut Sheet belongs to that small group and has been well preserved over the years. It is very well margined and one of the nicer sheets we have sold.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20558 Robert Anderson Courtesy Autograph Fr. 1619 \$1 1957 Silver Certificates. Fifty Examples Very Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better.** Secretary of the Treasury Robert Anderson signed each of these \$1 Silvers with a blue ink fountain pen above his printed signature. The serial numbers in this lot are 18326401 through 18326451 with note "406" not present. Anderson died on August 14, 1989. He was born in Burleson, Texas and is buried in nearby Cleburne. (Total: 50 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## Perfect 70 EPQ \$1 1957A Silver



**20559 Fr. 1620 \$1 1957A Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 70 EPQ★.**

A perfect note for the perfectionist, this \$1 Silver from the N-A block has earned the highest grade in paper money collecting. This well preserved and centered \$1 Silver sports four even face margins with each measuring exactly 3mm in width. Also, each back margin is 5mm in width giving this piece a right on the money face to back registration. This is the only Fr. 1620 to earn the 70 EPQ grade. A closer look at the *PMG Population Report* tells us that they have graded only three \$1 Silvers at the apex of the paper money grading scale. Out of all of the thousands of small size \$1 Silvers graded by PMG, only three have achieved PMG's standards of perfection.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**

## Near-Gem \$5 Mule Silver Certificate with Back Plate 629



**20560 Fr. 1653 \$5 1934C Mule Silver Certificate with Back Plate 629. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A lovely, near-Gem example, this early \$5 Silver is a rare micro back plate number 629 Mule. These are at least ten times rarer than the back plate number 637 Mules, as stated on page 99 of the tenth edition of Schwartz-Lindquist. In the Uncirculated grades, this is even more true, as this is one of fewer than five Uncirculated pieces we have offered. A great note for the small size specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**20561 Fr. 1653★/Fr. 1654★ \$5 1934C/ 1934D Wide/Wide I Silver Certificate Changeover Pair. Two Consecutive Examples. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A crackling fresh pair of replacement notes with wonderful color and deep embossing is seen in this lot. The Wide example carries Face Plate number L1875 and the Wide I note carries Face Plate number G2047. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20562 Fr. 1653★ \$5 1934C Mule Silver Certificate with Back Plate 637. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Only 13 micro back plate number 637 star mules have been examined by PMG. This plate letter J example has four wide margins that reveal paper guide line markers in the upper left corner and along the top edge.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20563 Solid Serial Number 77777777 Fr. 1654 \$5 1934D Wide I Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

This early \$5 Silver Certificate, which surprisingly saw a bit of circulation, sports a great solid serial number of T7777777A.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20564 Changeover Pair Fr. 1701 Mule/1702 \$10 1934/1934A Silver Certificates. PCGS Choice New 63PPQ.**

The first time for us to offer an example of a Fr. 1701 Mule/1702 changeover pair is presented here. Only eleven \$10 Silver changeover pairs across all series and varieties are listed in Appendix II of the tenth and latest edition of *Standard Guide to Small-Size U.S. Paper Money* by John Schwartz and Scott Lindquist. Bold embossing testifies to the originality of this lovely changeover pair. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTE



**20565 Fr. 1880-L★ \$50 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

This is just the eighth star to be reported for the San Francisco \$50 FRBNs, according to Track & Price. Half of the documented notes suffer from some impairments, making this example in a comment-free holder all the more desirable.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES

**20566 Fr. 1904-I★ \$1 1969A Federal Reserve Notes. Ninety Examples. Gem Crisp Uncirculated.**

These are easily the scarcest stars for the 1969A Series. The well preserved examples in this lot are all broad margined and well centered. The 69th and the last nine pieces have been removed. (Total: 90 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20567 Solid Serial Number 88888888 Fr. 1908-F \$1 1974 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Solid serial number 88888888 graces this broad margined Atlanta \$1 beauty. We have now offered two different \$1 FRNs with the solid 8 serial number in the 67 grade. The other was a PMG 67 EPQ example that realized \$4,465 in September, 2015. We have several \$1 and \$20 examples of the highly desirable 88888888 serial in this auction session.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20568 Ascending Ladder Serial Number 01234567 Fr. 1915-C \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A nicely centered and pack fresh \$1 FRN, this example bears a great up ladder serial number of 01234567.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20569 Solid Serial Number 11111111 Fr. 1915-K \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Solid serial number 11111111 adorns this well margined and pack fresh \$1 FRN from the Dallas district.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20570 Solid Serial Number 88888888 Fr. 1916-F \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Our most recent offering of a \$1 with serial number 88888888 in 65 was in January, 2018. That PCGS 65PPQ piece closed at \$3,120.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

**20571 Solid Serial Number 11111111 Fr. 1918-E \$1 1993 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

A Richmond \$1, this note is decked out with solid serial number 11111111. It is a well embossed example with pristine paper surfaces and ideal centering.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





20572 Solid Serial Number 88888888 Fr. 1922-H \$1 1995 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ. Serial 88888888 commands extra attention due to its extreme popularity around the world. This is a near-Gem example with nice color and embossing.  
Starting Bid: \$1,125



20573 Solid Serial Number 88888888 Fr. 1925-L \$1 1999 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ. Serial 88888888 commands extra attention and therefore funds due to its extreme popularity around the world. Our last example at this third party grade level was a PCGS 65PPQ Fr. 1913-F that realized \$3,120 in 2018 FUN auction.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250

## Gem Boston District 1928 \$5



20574 Fr. 1950-A \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ. A well printed example from the tougher Boston district, this piece offers nice centering and strict originality. In our last Central States auction, we sold an identically graded example for \$3,720.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



20575 Low Serial Number 80 Fr. 1950-A \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Choice New 63PPQ. Cracking fresh paper and ideal color add to the appeal of this well preserved Boston \$5 FRN that bears low two-digit serial number 80.  
Starting Bid: \$750



20576 Low Serial Number 88 Fr. 1950-E \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ. The embossing is bold and the paper bright on this colorful Richmond \$5 FRN that bears low serial number 88. This pretty note made its last public appearance in our May 2002 auction.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



20577 Fr. 1950-H★ \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.

An excessively rare star, this is just the fifth example to be reported for this series and district. It is an evenly circulated and well margined note with solid paper.

Starting Bid: \$750



20578 Fancy Serial Number 00666666 Fr. 1950-J \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.

A well margined and utterly original example, this Kansas City \$5 bears a fancy serial number of J00666666A. A companion 1928 \$10 example bearing this identical serial number is offered a few lots later in this session as well.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## Gorgeous Fr. 1951-G★ \$5 1928A Federal Reserve Note



20579 Fr. 1951-G★ \$5 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

The Fr. 1951-G★ is a very tough series from which to find any star example, let alone a star in this state of preservation. This piece is simply gorgeous, with blazing colors, full originality, deep embossing, and far better than average centering.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## Second Reported Fr. 1951-H★ Star



20580 Fr. 1951-H★ \$5 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.

An excessively rare \$5 FRN star, this piece is only the second replacement note to be reported for this series and district, according to Track and Price. The other known example, in a PCGS Fine 15 holder, sold for over \$2,500 at auction in 2014. This bright, mid-grade star we are pleased to offer is certainly the finer example with nice ink colors and problem free wear. A great opportunity for the small size star specialist.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



20581 Fr. 1951-L★ \$5 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.

A recently discovered San Francisco district replacement note, this example raises the known census total to six according to Track & Price. It is an evenly circulated piece that faces up nicely.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20582 Fr. 1952-H \$5 1928B Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.

Paper originality and excellent color adorn this St. Louis LGS \$5. In our last Central States auction, we sold a PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ example for \$2,040.

Starting Bid: \$750



## Low Serial Number St. Louis LGS \$5 FRN



**20583 Fr. 1934-H \$5 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

An evenly circulated Light Green Seal example, this piece bears low serial number H00000004A. It is a new addition to the census, joining just a few other low numbers reported for this series and district.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## Rare Narrow Variety



**20584 Fr. 1934-B \$5 1934C Narrow Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A lovely example, this very rare \$5 1934C Narrow FRN from the B-C block represents the only block besides the extremely rare B★ in which you will find the Narrow variety for this denomination and series. The Narrow variety is found with face plate numbers 298-303, with this piece bearing face plate 301. In our Long Beach auction last year, we sold an identically graded example just one serial number away from this offering for \$2,280. We sold the Glasser collection note, graded PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ, for \$900. This nicely centered example, which shows no real evidence of circulation, should perform admirably.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20585 Fr. 1934-E★ \$5 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Track & Price lists only three stars for this Friedberg number, with tonight's offering becoming just the fourth example documented. Another Fr. 1934-E★ realized \$2,160 in our April, 2020 auction.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

**20586 Fr. 1934-G★ \$5 1934 Federal Reserve Notes. Pack of 100. Very Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**

A star pack, this offering is from the first of three different printings for this Friedberg number. (Total: 100 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20587 Low Serial Number 70 Fr. 2000-A \$10 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A well preserved serial number 70 note with paper originality, this example showcases ideal color. Several low serial numbers are known for this series and district but they rarely appear on the market.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20588 Fancy Serial Number 00666666 Fr. 2000-J \$10 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**

A crackling fresh and fully original example from the first series for the small size \$10 FRNs, this piece has great color and strong embossing. It has the added feature of fancy serial number J00666666A. This would make a nice pairing with the 1928 \$5 bearing this exact serial number offered here earlier.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20589 Low Serial Number 177 Fr. 2000-K★ \$10 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 20.**

One of the truly rare stars in this series, with offerings in any grade few and far between, this offering is one of just four stars in the latest Track & Price census. It was last on the market in our sale of the Taylor Family collection in 2005.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20594 Fr. 2061-E★ \$20 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A rare star, we have offered this type only two times over the years, with this piece being by far the nicest. A look at both major grading services tells us that neither PCGS nor PMG has graded another example as equal or higher.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20590 Fr. 2001-A★ \$10 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very scarce \$10 FRN star, this piece is just one of seven replacement notes recorded for this series and district. Last on the market in our 2004 FUN auction, it exhibits even wear and nice color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20591 Fr. 2003-G \$10 1928C Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Notes. Cut Half Sheet of Six PMG Graded.**

A nicely preserved cut half sheet with the plate letter C note grading Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ, the A, B, D and E pieces grade Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ, the F example grades Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ with strong serial number embossing. (Total: 6 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20592 Solid Serial Number 22222222 Fr. 2030-G \$10 1993 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An ideally centered and pack fresh \$10 FRN from the Chicago district with all 2's in its serial number is offered in this lot.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

### Solid 8 Serial Number



**20595 Solid Serial Number 88888888 Fr. 2077-B \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A nicely centered and pack fresh New York \$20, this note displays the very popular solid serial number of 88888888.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

### Gem Fr. 2052-E★ Light Green Seal Star



**20593 Fr. 2052-E★ \$20 1928B Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A very tough series for stars, with most districts unreported, this is just the second Richmond LGS star to surface. It far outshines the other known example, a Very Fine replacement note that we sold in our 2004 Long Beach auction. This star is just the opposite, with wide margins, great color, and crisp, original paper surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20596 Solid Serial Number 33333333 Fr. 2077-G \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A G-B block note with all 3's in the serial number, this is well centered example within four wide margins and EPQ paper that displays embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



20597 Solid Serial Number 66666666 Fr. 2077-G \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Near perfect centering is displayed by this solid serial number note consisting of all sixes in the serial number.

Starting Bid: \$750

### Scarce 1928 Boston \$50 Replacement Note



20598 Fr. 2100-A★ \$50 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Apparent Very Fine 25.

Not surprisingly, stars from the Boston district are very scarce items as well. This crisp mid-grade example is one of only six pieces in the census and is crossing the public auction block for the first time. It exhibits nice color for the grade with its only flaw being a partial teller stamp at right on the face.

Starting Bid: \$2,500



20599 Fr. 2100-E★ \$50 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A downright rare \$50 FRN star, this piece is only the fifth replacement note to be recorded for this series and district. Surprisingly, three of the other known examples all grade at least Choice CU and have sold in the past for at least high four-figure prices. The pleasing mid-grade \$50 provides an opportunity for a collector to acquire this tough star for a more modest price.

Starting Bid: \$750

### \$50 1928 Atlanta Replacement Note PMG About Uncirculated 55



20600 Low Serial Number 445 Fr. 2100-F★ \$50 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55.

A rare and lovely early star note, this example features the lowest serial number seen on any 1928 Atlanta district \$50 star. With the exception of one Gem example, this is easily the finest known replacement note for this series and district.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



20601 Fr. 2100-G \$50 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A pleasing and utterly original Chicago Numerical, this offering features vibrant colors and boardwalk margins. PMG has graded only one note a single point finer than this pretty note.

Starting Bid: \$750



20602 Fr. 2102-C \$50 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

A gorgeous example of this early \$50 FRN, this note is tied for the finest graded by PMG. It features wonderful color and near-perfect centering.

Starting Bid: \$750



**20603 Low Serial Number 4324 Fr. 2102-E★ \$50 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

This is one of just two LGS stars reported for the Richmond district and easily the finer of the pair as the other known example is in a PMG Fine 12 holder. Featuring low serial number 4324, it exhibits even wear and bold ink colors.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20606 Fr. 2150-C★ \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

No Uncirculated examples of this Philadelphia star note have been graded by PCGS or PMG. Moreover, this is the single finest piece to ever be offered at auction. The last time that this note was at auction was January, 2018, it realized \$2400.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20604 Fr. 2105-K \$50 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

From the scarce Dallas district, this note has near perfect margins, and original paper quality. With only 2 notes either equal to or graded higher, this note would be a highlight of any collection.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20607 Fr. 2150-D \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

A note right up there with the best of them as PMG and PCGS have graded only three equal and one higher of Fr. 2150-D. Ideal color and premium paper quality surfaces are just two of the traits of this superb Cleveland \$100.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20605 Fr. 2116-K★ \$50 1969B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A gorgeous example of this scarce \$50 FRN star, this piece is tied for the finest graded by PMG with just three other notes.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20608 Fr. 2150-E \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 64 PPQ.**

This perfectly original and well margined Richmond \$100 is only held back from a full Gem grade by its centering.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





20609 Fr. 2150-E \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Notes. Two Consecutive Examples. PCGS Choice New 63PPQ.

Original paper surfaces and ideal color are observed on both of these nicely preserved Richmond \$100s. This is the only consecutive pair we have sold. (Total: 2 notes)

Starting Bid: \$750



20610 Fr. 2150-F★ \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.

A wholesome and bright example, this very tough Atlanta \$100 star is one of just five pieces in the census. A nice replacement note, this piece represents a more challenging district.

Starting Bid: \$875



20611 Fr. 2150-G \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A lovely note, this offering displays great color and complete originality. Neither PCGS nor PMG have seen a higher graded example.

Starting Bid: \$875



20612 Fr. 2152-C★ \$100 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

A very rare LGS star from the Philadelphia district, this note is fully margined, with deep, original embossing and bold colors. With no notes graded higher, there is sure to be excitement over this note.

Starting Bid: \$750



20613 Fr. 2152-K★ \$100 1934 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.

Moderately circulated with solid paper for the grade, this very scarce Dallas star is also a mule, with back plate number 123. The third party grading service has noted the presence of stamp ink on the holder, which can only be found after close examination.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## The Only PCGS Graded Gem 1934 San Francisco \$100



**20614 Fr. 2152-L★ \$100 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 65.** When we sold this lovely \$100 star almost four years ago, we said, “A rare star indeed in this condition, with this piece the only example graded above a single Choice New 63 at PCGS and below a single Gem 66 graded at PMG.” That statement about this pretty star note is still true today.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## One of Two Known Fr. 2154-F★



**20615 Fr. 2154-F★ \$100 1934B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.** Originally offered in a Heritage auction on September, 2016, it then realized a price of \$3,525. Only one other Atlanta Star Note has been seen, and that is at a lower grade than this example. Not listed in the Track & Price census, this note is a true rarity.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20616 Fr. 2155-F★ \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A lovely near-Gem example, this very tough FRN star exhibits natural paper wave and embossing. It is tied with just two other stars as the finest graded by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20617 Fr. 2155-H \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A fresh and bright St. Louis \$100, this piece is nicely margined with great color and embossing. PMG has graded only one note finer than this pretty example.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20618 Fr. 2155-L★ \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very rare \$100 FRN star. This specimen is evenly circulated with good color and solid paper for the grade. A great opportunity for the small size specialist to have one of the top graded notes in this issue.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





20619 Fr. 2156-C★ \$100 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

Tied for Top Pop at PMG. Any 1934-D \$100 star is a desirable piece. This is a bright, well inked note that has sustained just light, even wear. Starting Bid: \$750



20622 Fr. 2156-G \$100 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A scarce note, particularly in this lofty state of preservation, this broadly margined, well-embossed note is tied for the finest graded by PMG. Starting Bid: \$750



20620 Fr. 2156-F \$100 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A pleasing Atlanta district note, this piece resides at the top of the population charts at both services, with just two other notes. With a miniscule print run of just 260,400 notes, examples such as this one just do not appear very often. Starting Bid: \$750



20623 Fr. 2157-D★ \$100 1950 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Acute corners and embossing are exhibited by this Cleveland star. This is another Series 1950 Mule Star that is the top graded at PMG offered, and likely to set a new price record. Starting Bid: \$750



20621 Fr. 2156-F★ \$100 1934D Mule Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Fine 12.

A moderately circulated Fr. 2156-F★, the note looks better than the grade would appear. The last Fine example for this issue that sold brought over \$1300. Starting Bid: \$750



20624 Fr. 2157-K \$100 1950 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A lovely example of this scarce Mule \$100, this is the sole finest graded example by PMG. With wide margins, great centering, and superb paper surfaces, it is a real winner of a note. Starting Bid: \$750



**20625 Fr. 2157-L \$100 1950 Specimen Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Up-ladder L23456789A graces this attractive and wonderfully margined \$100 Specimen. The word SPECIMEN is seen twice, vertically on both the face and back.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20628 Fr. 2159-H★ \$100 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

The *PMG Population Report* states this is the lone finest example of this St. Louis replacement that they have graded. No other Uncirculated notes are seen in their report. It is well margined, perfectly preserved, and is a beautifully centered example fully earning its high grade.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20626 Fr. 2157-L★ \$100 1950 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A scarce district star note to find, this note is the finest graded by either of the two third party grading services.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20629 Fr. 2161-E★ \$100 1950D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ★.**

Simply a gorgeous \$100 Richmond star, this offering has four boardwalk margins and noticeable paper originality. All of this helped this note earn the highly coveted 67 EPQ ★ grade. Perusal of the population report for PCGS turns up the fact that they have not graded any Fr. 2161-E★'s equal or higher. Over at PMG, they have not graded any higher, but they have graded two other 67 EPQ's. This opportunity now becomes a chance at acquiring the Top Pop for this Friedberg number.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20627 Fr. 2158-K★ \$100 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A rare Dallas star, we have offered examples of this type only three times over the years, including this replacement note. This is the nicest example graded by either PMG or PCGS, as they have not graded a single piece equal or higher. Four broad margins and paper originality are traits of this Gem beauty.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20630 Fr. 2162-B★ \$100 1950E Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

While tied with one other note for finest graded, this is the first 66 graded note to grace an auction. Gem 65s have realized \$1057 to as much as \$2875. This scarce note has a big upside this evening, and nothing would surprise us.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20631 Fr. 2162-G \$100 1950E Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

One of the scarcer Friedberg numbers that is very elusive in Gem grades, with none graded higher and only four with equal grades to this one. This Chicago \$100 is well centered and possesses wonderfully crisp paper surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20634 Solid Serial Number 77777777 Fr. 2175-C \$100 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A Philadelphia \$100 blessed with the eye catching 77777777 solid serial number. This is the first time that we have been able to offer this in demand serial on the \$100 denomination. It is also the lone 67 EPQ, with no notes graded higher, for Fr. 2175-C in the PMG Population Report.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20632 Fr. 2162-L \$100 1950E Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

This is the only 1950E San Francisco district \$100 that PMG has graded at this grade level, with none higher. PCGS has graded only two examples at this level, also with none higher. That grade is certainly appropriate here, as this piece is well nigh perfect with full paper originality, great centering, and the look of a note which was printed this morning. It's a great note for the collector who seeks only the finest.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20635 Solid Serial Number 88888888 Fr. 2189-K \$100 2017A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Serial number 88888888 adorns this delightful Dallas \$100. We have auctioned this serial number on a Dallas note only two other times. The denomination was a \$1 for both earlier offerings and they graded PMG 63 EPQ and PMG 66 EPQ. The latter realized \$4,320 in our April, 2018 Central States auction. The current example should hammer near our high estimate, if not higher.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20633 Fr. 2162-L★ \$100 1950E Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

High-grade \$100 Stars are elusive for this series that was the final series without the "In God We Trust" motto. Only three districts issued notes for the 1950E Series with San Francisco Stars being definitely the second most elusive of the trio. The Fr. 2162-L★ is the highest grade at PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20637 Fr. 2201-A \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Paper originality includes embossing on this nicely margined Boston \$500. Over four years have passed since we last offered a choice example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20638 Fr. 2201-G \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

The only handling we can find through the third party holder are some counting marks near the back left edge. We also see embossing of the the Treasury Seal.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20641 Fr. 2202-B \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A well-preserved example with evenly proportioned margins all the way around on both face and back, as well as bright paper and good color.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20639 Fr. 2201-G★ \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

An attractive, well printed \$500 replacement note from the Chicago district, this example has good eye appeal. The repairs mentioned by PMG have been well executed and are only seen upon candling the note or holding it up to a bright light source.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20642 Fr. 2202-B \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

This \$500 has oh so very close to perfect centering according to our millimeter ruler. Also, the large margins on the back retain a paper guide line marker at upper left. Our last offering of this Friedberg number at the PMG 64 EPQ grade fetched \$2,280 in September, 2019.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20640 Fr. 2202-B \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An immaculate and well centered New York plate letter I \$500 within balanced margins is in this lot. The bottom left corner tip displays a paper guide line marker. PMG has graded only one Fr-2202-B higher. The last PMG 66 EPQ example that crossed our auction block realized \$5,520 in April, 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$2,250**



**20644 Fr. 2202-B★ \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A pleasing replacement note, this type is just represented by eight other examples in the Track & Price census. It faces up nicely with excellent color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**





20645 Fr. 2202-C \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS About New 50PPQ.

PPQ is supported by the fact that the Treasury Seal exhibits embossing and the folds show us that the note has not been tampered with. Margins are more than ample on all four sides of this plate letter J note. A paper guide line marker clings to the top edge on the face, while another paper guide line marker is noticed in the back upper left corner.

Starting Bid: \$750



20646 Fr. 2202-F \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

With just a trace of handling, this attractive note displays embossing of the points of the Treasury Seal. We originally auctioned this note in May, 2011. It was in a PCGS 58PPQ holder and since then it has crossed over into a PMG 58 EPQ holder.

Starting Bid: \$750



20647 Fr. 2202-L \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Choice About New 55.

Well centered and bright, this is a perfect note for the grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



20648 Fr. 2202-L★ \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

All 1934A \$500 notes are Mules and replacement notes are no exception. This is a wonderful, problem-free San Francisco district star that still retains some embossing.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



20649 Fr. 2210-E \$1,000 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A problem free example from the scarcer Richmond district. This 1928 \$1000 displays a vivid green overprint and excellent eye appeal for the grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

## Choice CU 64 Light Green Seal Cleveland \$1,000



20650 Fr. 2211-D \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

An elusive note highlighted by the bright lime green overprint employed early on in the printing process for the Cleveland district by the BEP. This is a well printed example that is nicely margined with bright, white paper.

Starting Bid: \$2,250



**20651 Fr. 2211-D \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A much scarcer Cleveland district Light Green Seal example, this piece has great color and appearance. PMG mentions a lightened stain, which is impossible to see through the holder. An About Uncirculated 58 Cleveland Light Green Seal realized \$3,600 back in June of 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20652 Fr. 2211-D \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

The reason for the About Unc grade for this pretty Cleveland \$1,000 is not readily apparent through the holder. It is an evenly margined note that has decent inking.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20653 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

The last example of this Friedberg number with a LGS and in this exact PMG grade that we auctioned was won for \$2,880 in April, 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20654 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A most pleasing note that faces up nicely within the holder and has the appearance of a higher grade example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

**20655 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

The paper is clean and there are traces of serial number embossing on this lightly circulated Chicago \$1,000.

**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

**20656 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

Well centered, this example is quite attractive for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20657 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 30.**

Evenly circulated with bold colors, this is a problem free high denomination example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20658 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A well printed and evenly circulated Chicago \$1,000 that does have a bit of ink graffiti on its back.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20659 Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 25.**

A well centered and very conservatively graded Light Green Seal example, this piece is nicer than most VF 25's we've encountered.

**Starting Bid: \$1,200**





**20660 Fr. 2211-G★ \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Fine 15 Details.**

Higher denomination stars are elusive at best, with Track & Price documenting only 113 spread out amongst all districts and varieties of the 1934 Series. The back label mentions partially removed writing, minor rust, and small holes.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20661 Fr. 2211-H \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A boldly printed example, this light green seal \$1,000 faces up quite nicely with bright paper and solid margins. Some ink rub on the back has been noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20662 Fr. 2211-J \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A pleasing appearance is displayed by this moderately circulated Kansas City LGS \$1,000 note that has good color and low serial number 55. Its only detracting factor is a partial teller stamp on its face.

**Starting Bid: \$1,125**



**20663 Fr. 2211-L \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

This scarcer light green seal variety has seen light handling, but retains its attractiveness with great color and nice margins all around.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**20664 Fr. 2211-L \$1,000 1934 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Extremely Fine 40.**

Good color and appearance are seen on this high denomination note with no distractions or problems for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

**20665 Fr. 2211-L \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Only a few folds are noticed on this plate letter J \$1,000. Three margins are broad, revealing two paper guide line markers.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20666 Fr. 2212-B \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Fine 15.**

Problem free, this offering has good color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20667 Fr. 2212-F \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 35.**

A problem free high end circulated \$1000, this piece hails from the scarcer Atlanta district.

**Starting Bid: \$1,125**



**20668 Fr. 2212-F \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

Great color and nice centering are seen on this moderately circulated Atlanta \$1,000 that exhibits just even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20669 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Centering is close to being perfect on this charming Chicago \$1000.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20672 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

A well margined and sharply inked Chicago \$1,000, this piece saw only limited circulation.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20670 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

An appealing example, this Chicago \$1,000 is well margined with attractive color.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**20673 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A nicely margined Chicago \$1,000, this example has a paper guide line marker at lower right. A partial teller stamp is seen on the back, thus the stamp ink comment on the third party back label.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

**20674 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

Even wear and good color are the traits of this moderately circulated \$1,000 FRN from the Chicago district.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20675 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 30.**

A nicely centered and problem free high denomination example is offered here.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20671 Fr. 2212-G \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.**

A well margined plate position I Chicago \$1,000, this note has a bottom edge showing the tell-tale sign of a paper guide line marker. The last Fr. 2212-G in PMG AU 50 EPQ that we auctioned realized \$3,600 in September, 2020.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,375**



**20676 Fr. 2212-J \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

A bright, well printed example, this Kansas City \$1,000 retains original surfaces.  
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

**20677 Fr. 2212-J \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A pleasing, moderately circulated example of this Kansas City \$1,000, this piece is well margined and exhibits sharp ink colors.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



## WORLD WAR II EMERGENCY NOTES



**20678 Fr. 2301 \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

This is one of the nicest survivors for this Friedberg number as PMG has not graded an example higher. It is an exceptionally bright note with ideal color and nice centering.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20679 Fr. 2301 \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Back plate 1269 identifies this \$5 Hawaii note as a Mule. This is a lovely example with bright paper and excellent embossing as well as great color.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20680 Fr. 2301★ \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

An attractive, lightly circulated example of this tough \$5 Mule Hawaii star, this pleasing replacement note retains original surfaces, nice margins, and a bold overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20681 Fr. 2301★ \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

A mule star variety, this \$5 Hawaii note is in a comment free holder. Both sides exhibit even circulation

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20682 Fr. 2302 \$5 1934A Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

With excellent color, paper surfaces, centering, and embossing, they do not come nicer than this note very often. It is one of just five pieces graded at this lofty level by PMG, with only one note graded a single point finer.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

### Attractive and Rare Fr. 2302★ Hawaii \$5 Star



**20683 Fr. 2302★ \$5 1934A Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A truly rare star note with Track & Price reporting only ten replacement notes in all grades in their census. This bright and crisp star is one of those ten reported and is crossing the public auction block for the first time. It's also the finest Fr. 2302★ star graded by PMG.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20684 Fr. 2305 \$20 1934A Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Most unusually for any notes of this denomination, this example is beautifully centered. It is strongly embossed as well. This piece is truly one of the nicest we have ever handled, displaying natural wave. It certainly merits its PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 designation.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20685 Fr. 2307 \$5 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A gorgeous North Africa \$5, this note is well centered with paper originality. PMG has graded only one example a single point finer than this pretty note.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20686 Fr. 2307 \$5 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate with Late Finished Face Plate 307. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A crackling fresh note, this offering displays prominent embossing and deep colors. It also represents the scarce Late Finished Plate 307 variety. Face plate 307 was begun on April 6, 1936. Then it was stored in the plate vault until being discovered in 1942. The plate was finished on July 3, 1942, and it was then put to use from July 9, 1942 to June 3, 1943. All this means is that face plate 307 is a macro plate number, but plate number 307 comes from the micro plate number range.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**20687 Fr. 2308 \$10 1934 Mule North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 30.**

An A-A block face plate 125 example of this number, this is one of the keys to a small size collection. North Africa notes were first used in the invasion of North Africa, known as Operation Torch, and for Operation Husky, the invasion of Sicily. Even wear and nice color are found on this moderately circulated example that has a small stain towards its bottom margin.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## GOLD CERTIFICATES

**20688 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Perfectly original surfaces and embossing are seen.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20689 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only ten examples higher than this well centered example with balanced margins.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20690 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely, well margined Gem example, this popular \$10 Gold Certificate shows serial number embossing and ideal color.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$750**





20691 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Darkly printed on bright paper with good centering and margins, this example also displays nice embossing.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

Starting Bid: \$750



20694 Fr. 2402 \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Great centering and strong color are a couple of the highlights of this well preserved \$20 Gold Certificate.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

Starting Bid: \$875



20692 Fr. 2402 \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

An exceptionally colorful and well margined \$20 Gold Certificate, this example appears to have rolled off the press this morning.

Starting Bid: \$875



20695 Fr. 2402 \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Strong embossing of the serial numbers is paired with the natural paper wave of this pretty, high-end \$20 Gold Certificate.

Starting Bid: \$875



20693 Fr. 2402 \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

Bright and fully original, this piece is, most importantly for this denomination, very well centered on both face and back.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

Starting Bid: \$875

## Bright Gem \$50 Gold Certificate



20696 Fr. 2404 \$50 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

As nice as the day it rolled off the press, this \$50 Gold Certificate is printed on bright paper with dark inking, a good gold seal, and bold serial numbers.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



20697 Fr. 2404 \$50 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.

Clean paper surfaces and a wonderfully bright orange overprint highlight this \$50 Gold. Slight traces of embossing can also be discerned through the third party holder of this pleasing note that retains original surfaces.

Starting Bid: \$875



20700 Fr. 2405 \$100 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 55.

A lightly circulated example, this piece retains the original gold color of the seal and serial numbers and has ample margins all around. PMG mentions minor ink and, upon close examination, a small light ink stain is found.

Starting Bid: \$875



20698 Fr. 2404 \$50 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 55. A nice high-end example, this \$50 Gold Certificate features bold colors and little trace of real circulation.

Starting Bid: \$750



20701 Fr. 2405 \$100 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.

The light handling that determined the grade of this bright, well printed \$100 Gold is hard to locate through the third party holder.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

Starting Bid: \$750



20699 Fr. 2404 \$50 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.

A nicely centered and boldly printed example, this piece displays plenty of evident originality.

Starting Bid: \$750

## ERROR NOTES



20702 Partial Offset Printing of Front to Back Error Fr. 235 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.

A dark face to back thin offset is at far left. This is only the second example of an offset on any Black Eagle Friedberg number that we have offered. Offsets on large size notes are usually thin and found near an edge.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

Starting Bid: \$750





**20703 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1505 \$2 1928D Legal Tender Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A D-A block inverted back error where both sides are nicely centered. We have auctioned this charming error duce twice before. Those offerings were in September, 2017 and in September, 2020. Both times with a \$3,000 to \$4,000 estimate, it closed at \$2,880 for both times. We see no reason to expect anything less on this early small size inverted back.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20704 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1608★ \$1 1935A Silver Certificate. PCGS Very Fine 30.**

This is the only inverted reverse 1935A \$1 Silver Certificate star that we have been able to offer in any Heritage sale. The fourth edition of *United States Paper Money Errors* by Dr. Frederick J. Bart does not list an inverted back for this star Friedberg number. This is also only the fifth inverted back \$1 Silver Certificate star of any series to cross the auction block in any of our auctions.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20705 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1651 \$5 1934A Silver Certificate. PCGS Choice About New 55PPQ.**

A lovely inverted reverse example, this note enjoys great centering, vivid color, and only the barest minimum of handling. It is a scarce invert in any grade and by far the finest Fr. 1651 invert we have had the pleasure to offer in any of our sales.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**Incredibly Rare Type II Inverted Error Star Note**



**20706 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 1930-B★ \$1 2003A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

A Type II inverted back example on a star note is offered here. We have auctioned only one \$1 FRN inverted back at this third party grade level with none higher. That error \$1 FRN is this exact note which realized \$2,520 last September.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20707 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1933-H \$1 2006 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A type II inverted back error is present on this Gem St. Louis \$1 note. The resulting misalignment is quite pronounced.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20710 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 2027-D \$10 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A full denomination set of Federal Reserve Type II inverted back errors is offered in this auction. This is a well preserved example of the \$10 Type II invert. We have previously offered only one inverted back Type II \$10 at this grade level with nothing higher, a piece that realized \$2,400 in our Long Beach September 2020 auction.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20708 Multiple Errors - Inverted Back Error, Partial Wet Ink Transfer Fr. 1980-K \$5 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A great inverted back error with a generous amount of selvage seen. Examples such as this tend to realize multiples at auction versus those with the whole back inverted. On the face of the note is a partial wet ink transfer from the previous sheet that was also inverted leaving behind an inverted ghost image of the invert error. Some portions of the face design from the next sheet also transferred to the back.

**Starting Bid: \$1,375**



**20711 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 2075-D \$20 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A Type II example, this piece is the highest graded \$20 inverted back error with no equals to participate in our auctions. Last September this error realized \$2,280.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20709 Inverted Back Error Fr. 2012-K★ \$10 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 35.**

A just plain rare star note invert, this example was formerly part of the Richard Merlau Collection of Error Notes. This is only the third \$10 Fed star to be offered in any Heritage sale. This piece is unlisted in Dr. Bart's compilation of reported \$10 Fed inverts, which contains only two star examples from all series and districts combined out of the forty-seven inverts listed.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



## Our Finest Ever Offering of a \$50 Type II Inverted Back Error



### 20712 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 2118-A \$50 1974 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A plate letter H3 Series 1974 \$50 Boston Type II inverted back, this piece is well centered on the face, but the back is poorly centered by a vast amount. The incredible grade here is based on the excellent centering of the face, which is highly uncommon for inverts based on production methods. Expecting to see another in this grade is unlikely. The *US Error Note Encyclopedia Second Edition* by Stephen M. Sullivan provides the definitive answer for this Type II inverted back. Page 120 relates how a change in standard operating procedures ushered in the Type II errors with the Series 1974 \$50 and \$100 FRNs. With that being the case, the \$50 invert in this lot is one of the earliest Type II examples of this error type. We have auctioned only three Series 1974 \$50 inverted back errors. The first was in February, 2005, the second in September, 2007, and the third was a PCGS 63 EPQ Boston example that realized \$2,160 in September, 2020. The Gem 66 EPQ example in this lot should command a healthy premium over the September figure.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



### 20713 Inverted Back Error Type II Fr. 2175-B \$100 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

This is one of the highest graded examples of a Type II inverted back error to cross our auction block. It appeared in our auctions last September at \$2,166. An incredible \$100 invert.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



### 20714 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 1613N \$1 1935D Narrow Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A high end inverted third printing error from this earlier \$1 Silver series, this example boasts bold color and is nicely centered.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



### 20715 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 1917-F \$1 1988A Web Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 35.

A Type 1 inverted overprint error on an F-U block Web note. We have offered very few of these inverted overprint error Web notes in the past. This particular Web note is from Run 11 with a 4/8 Plate Combo.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



### 20716 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 1923-F \$1 1995 Web Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

It has been a few years since we last offered a high grade example of this type of error on a Web note. This example is as nice as any of those few earlier offerings. Web vitals for this F-D block error note include that it is from run 15 with plate combo 5/10.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20717 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 1935-E \$2 1976 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely Richmond Type I inverted overprint error appears on this Bicentennial Deuce. The \$2 and the \$100 denominations are by far the most difficult to obtain for inverted third printings and few, if any, \$2 examples will be nicer than this well centered blazing Gem.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20720 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2071-G \$20 1974 Federal Reserve Notes. Two Examples. PMG Graded Choice Uncirculated 63; Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A well printed and nicely margined pair of \$20 FRNs from Chicago, each piece features a sharply impressed third printing that is printed upside down.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20718 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 1963-J \$5 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

An attractive example of this Type 1 error type on a 1950B FRN from the Kansas City district. It displays deeply inked details and is nicely margined.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20719 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2060-A \$20 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A gorgeous example of this inverted third printing error and the finest of this error type that we have handled for this series and district. The third printing is especially bold on this well margined Boston \$20.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20721 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2119-L \$50 1977 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The third printing is totally inverted on this well preserved Type I gem Grant \$50 FRN.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**20722 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2119-L \$50 1977 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The third printing is inverted on this Type 1 Cleveland district note. As one might expect, dramatic errors on notes of this denomination are decidedly uncommon.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20725 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2168-A \$100 1977 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

An attractive Type I \$100 invert, this piece hails from the Boston district. Despite the abundant printing figures for this issue, the error type remains rather elusive with limited auction appearances.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20723 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2159-H \$100 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A broadly margined, boldly original, perfect example of this popular inverted third print error type, this piece represents a much scarcer early series for the \$100 FRNs.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20726 Insufficient Inking of Overprint Error Fr. 2171-A \$100 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A very scarce denomination for this error, with few hundreds seen missing their entire third printing. The heavy embossing indicates this example was bound for the Boston district.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20724 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2159-H \$100 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Choice New 63.**

A St. Louis Type I inverted third printing error, this piece formerly resided in the Eric Newman Collection that was stored/displayed at Washington University in St. Louis. The 1950B Series is one of the oldest series that this error type on the \$100 denomination can be found on. The paper of the error note has toned a shade, but that is mostly confined to the back.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20727 Partial Additional Overprint at Left; Blind Embossing of Overprint at Left and Right Fr. 1706 \$10 1953 Silver Certificate. PCGS Extremely Fine 45PPQ.**

Very unusual and the first that we have offered, the error on this note displays Ivy Baker Priest's overprinted signature partially printed a second time directly above the left serial number. Directly above that partial signature is a difficult to see through the third party holder blind embossing impression of the top half of Ms. Priest's overprinted signature. At right is the easily to see blind embossing impression of a second Treasury Seal that consists of its rays at bottom and at right. This blind embossing impression is between the large "TEN" counter underneath "Washington, DC" and the "10" counter at upper right. This blind embossing impression has produced embossing on the back, too.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20728 Natick Test Paper Overprint on Back Error Fr. 1910-E \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Notes. Three Consecutive Examples. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

We have in this lot a rare combination where error notes were printed on test paper. The third printing is on the back rather than in its proper position on the face of this third party graded trio. What makes these error notes truly special is the fact that they were printed on a special experimental paper that was designed to test the durability of various paper formulae. The government contractor for this paper was Natick Labs of Natick, Massachusetts. These Natick test paper notes can be identified by their serial number range of E76000001H through E80640000H, although research by small size specialist Robert Azpiazu and others indicates that large gaps exist in the numbering sequence. This tells us that the actual number of Natick test notes printed is less than the serial number range would suggest. Among examples in this lot, we see that the third printing on the back of each error note is dark. Also, this is the largest multiple of this error on Natick test paper to participate in our auctions.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

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## Elusive Inverted Third Printing on Back Error



**20729 Inverted Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 1913-L 1985 \$1 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Not your typical third printing on back error, the third printing on this well preserved \$1 FRN from San Francisco is inverted as well. These inverted third printing on back errors are many times rarer than the normal third printing on back error.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

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## Ten Consecutive Gem \$10 Third Printing on Back Errors



20730 Third Printing on Back Errors Fr. 2024-L \$10 1977A Federal Reserve Notes. Ten Consecutive Examples. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. Ten consecutive third printing on back error notes make up this lot. Groups of consecutive error notes just do not turn up in quantity any more. All of the notes are pack fresh and perfectly matched for grade. (Total: 10 notes)  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

**20731 Mismatched Serial Number U37/U47 Errors Fr. 1621 \$1 1957B Silver Certificates. Five Consecutive Examples. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

The first two digits of the serial number are mismatched on this quintet. Each example is pristine with four broad margins and embossing.  
*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II (Total: 5 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20732 Five Digit Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1910-A \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

This is one of the greatest mismatched serial number notes known to the collecting fraternity, as this is a five digit mismatch, with the note bearing serial number A97250613B on the left and serial number A86139613B on the right. Moderately circulated and problem free, this note provides collectors an opportunity to acquire this great mismatch at a less than a strong four figure price.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

### Superb 68 PPQ Star Mismatch



**20733 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1916-G★ \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 68 PPQ.**

A gorgeous star where the left serial starts off with "11" and the right serial begins with "00." This well preserved example is perfectly centered and surrounded by four wide margins. This is the first time that we have offered an example of this star mismatch error in a grade higher than 66.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20734 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1916-G★ \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Errors on star notes always attract attention. The first two digits of the serial numbers on this star note are mismatched G11.... / G00.... The note itself is in superlative condition and will be difficult to improve upon.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20735 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1916-G★ \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely example of this two digit 11/00 mismatched serial number star error. Four extra wide margins encompass this well preserved piece that displays bold ink colors and original surfaces.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20736 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1916-G★ \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**

A near-Superb example of the first and only star mismatch to be printed at Fort Worth with serial numbers of 11409789/00409789 from the G★ block.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**





**20737 Mismatched Serial Number G11/G00 Errors Fr. 1916-G★ \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Notes. Three Consecutive Examples. PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**

This is our first offering of a multiple for this star serial number two-digit mismatch. The serial numbers in this lot are 11408455-57/00408455-57. This is a well preserved trio with sharp corners. All three have four broad margins and centering barely over 1mm from being perfect. A perusal of \$1 FRN mismatches comes up with the statistic that since Series 1963, there have been only three star Friedberg numbers that have succumbed to the mismatched serial number error type. Those numbers are Fr-1900-A★, 1916-G★, and 1932-B★.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**20738 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1962-B \$5 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

The last three digits in the serial numbers are mismatched 833/700 on this pack fresh New York FRN from an earlier series.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20741 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2017-E \$10 1963A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

The second digits in the serial number are mismatched creating a 63/64 error on this near-perfect \$10 FRN from the Richmond district.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20739 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1975-H \$5 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This is one of the most striking serial number mismatches, as the final four-digits are the culprits. This particular serial number mismatch error for this Friedberg number is usually found at the VF grade level. A beautiful example that possesses broad margins and embossing. The left serial number block froze, producing this error.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20742 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2062-F \$20 1950C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The last digit of the left serial number flipped, but the right one did not giving us a mismatched serial number 10070532/10070531. This past September, we sold an identically graded example of this error for \$2,160.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20740 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2014-E★ \$10 1950D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

The only example of this early star note with a serial number mismatch to ever appear in one of our auctions, this moderately circulated Richmond star has two different serial numbers of 11000817/1100817.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20743 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2074-B \$20 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A gorgeous example of this appealing B1/0 first-digit mismatch error. Appearances for this particular issue have been limited, as it is unlikely that many were released by the BEP to be saved by vigilant members of the public.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$625**





**20744 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2074-B \$20 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The B1/0 serial number mismatch is quite elusive especially in this lofty state of preservation. This offering features nice centering and ideal color.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**20746 Mismatched Serial Number Suffix Letter Error Fr. 1924-C \$1 1999 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

An excessively rare note with mismatched suffix letters E/I. This is the only error with mismatched suffix letters known. One other has a missing suffix letter. To date, only about a half a dozen examples, all circulated, have been reported. This offering is just about the finest known of that small group.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20745 Mismatched Serial Number 9470/9479 Error Fr. 2097-E \$20 2013 Federal Reserve Notes. Two Consecutive Examples. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

These Richmond serial number 9470/9479 mismatch errors were dispensed by an ATM machine inside the Pentagon. The errors were originally caught by a sharp-eyed employee who took good care of them. This is the most recent serial number mismatch.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20747 Foldover Error Fr. 1910-H \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

The right serial number and Treasury seal appear on the back of this St. Louis \$1 FRN as the result of a massive foldover error.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20748 Foldover Error Fr. 1915-E \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An E3 sheet position note with a printed fold error. The upper right corner folded over and thus a portion of the right serial number, part of the Treasury seal, and a District number were printed on the back.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20749 Foldover Error Fr. 1915-F \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A very dramatic foldover error with not only a sizable portion of an adjoining note attached to the host note, but also the right half of the third printing missing from this well preserved Atlanta \$1 FRN.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20751 Major Foldover Error Fr. 1916-L \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

This San Francisco \$1 FRN is the host note for a most dramatic foldover error that involves approximately 40% of the following note.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20750 Major Foldover Error Fr. 1916-L \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A most eye catching error that exhibits portions of two separate notes from the sheet. Some ink transfer is also noticed where the foldover was resting on the main note. Major errors such as these are no longer released by the BEP in sufficient numbers to keep up with demand.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20752 Foldover Error Fr. 1928-E★ \$1 2003 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

As the note from the lower right corner of a sheet of 32, this H4 plate star note has a lower right corner foldover error which has resulted in the Treasury seal and the right serial number to be printed on the back. This is certainly an unusual error to find on a star note.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**20753 Foldover Error with BEP Rejection Tag Fr. 2011-I \$10 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A dramatic foldover that encompasses almost 50% of this plate letter A Minneapolis \$10 is observed on this note that is one of the very best of this type of error on this denomination to participate in our auctions. It also has a period appropriate BEP red and white striped rejection tag. Part of the district seal, almost all of Ms. Priest's engraved signature, and five characters of the serial number are printed on the back. The Treasury Seal and the right serial number exhibit strong embossing on the back. Plenty of visual appeal accompanies this error note.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20754 Foldover Error Fr. 2034-F★ \$10 1999 Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

A neat foldover error on any note, but prohibitively rare as a star. This well printed \$10 FRN features virtually its entire right serial number printed on its back.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20755 Major Foldover Error Fr. 2034-L \$10 1999 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely foldover error that retains about 40% of the note above which was folded over after the application of the third printing. The green portion of the overprint is also misaligned. This multiple error is certain to be a welcome addition into the next collection it enters.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**20756 Foldover Error Fr. 2076-H \$20 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A dramatic foldover error has resulted in a sizable portion of an adjoining note being attached to this very lightly handled St. Louis \$20.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

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### \$500 Gutter Fold Error



**20757 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2200-H \$500 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A pair of gutter folds are seen at right on the face of this St. Louis high denomination note. Any type of error is a very scarce and desirable item to be found on a \$500 note.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

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### Richmond \$500 Gutter Fold Error



**20759 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2202-E \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 20.**

This moderately circulated Richmond high denomination features a thin vertical gutter fold on the right side of its face.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

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### \$500 Gutter Fold Error



**20758 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2201-H \$500 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A neat gutter fold runs along the bottom on both sides of this St. Louis LGS high denomination note. It is the rare auction indeed that has a multiple number of high denomination error notes to offer the collecting fraternity.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

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### Gutter Fold Error St. Louis \$500 FRN



**20760 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2202-H \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A rather pronounced diagonal gutter fold is seen at right and on both sides of this moderately circulated \$500 FRN. This auction presents a great opportunity to acquire an error on a high denomination note.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**20761 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2202-K \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

Errors on high denomination notes are not very common and especially in this midgrade note. The thin gutter affects both face and back printings and should realize substantially more than an error free \$500 example.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20762 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2211-G \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A vertical gutter fold that almost covers the entire height of the note is displayed to the right of the portrait. Errors on high denomination notes do not turn up too often as this is just the second \$1,000 gutter error we have offered.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20763 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2212-J \$1,000 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

A neat thin gutter fold runs from the top edge to the bottom edge along the left side of the face. Errors on high denomination notes are both scarce and highly desirable. Rust is confined mostly on the back.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## Multiple Note Back to Face Offset



**20764 Multiple Note Back to Face Offset Fr. 2076-B \$20 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

This is a stunning back to face non-standard multiple impression offset on a denomination not usually encountered with such an eye-catching error. A portion of four skewed \$20 backs are visible on the face of this lightly handled New York \$20.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20765 Offset Printing of Front to Back Fr. 2166-H \$100 1969C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A fascinating and showy error type, this is the second highest graded dark 100% front to back offset error on a \$100 to grace our auctions. We had a similar example of this error on a San Francisco Series 1977 \$100 grading PCGS 64PPQ realize \$1,440 in September, 2018. Look for this Gem 66 EPQ piece to easily outdistance that result.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**20766 Green Ink Smear Error Fr. 2083-C \$20 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Choice New 64PPQ.**

Virtually the entire back of this pack-fresh Big Head \$20 is covered with a massive green ink smear which creates quite a dramatic appearance. This is only the second time we have offered an ink smear error of this size on this denomination.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20770 Missing Magnetic Ink Error Fr. 2173-I \$100 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An insufficient inking error is observed on this Minneapolis \$100 that has a distinctive checkerboard pattern of missing magnetic ink. Each denomination has a different pattern of magnetic ink. This C-note is a beautiful Gem with paper originality. This error is only found on the face and with FRNs dated Series 1988A and later.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20767 Test Note Error Fr. 1922-H \$1 1995 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

An over inking error variety that is a late entrant into the collecting arena due to the fact that BEP printing techniques evolve over the years. Plates are flooded with excess ink to test the printing press at the beginning of each shift. These "test" sheets are earmarked for removal and destruction. However, a few of these massively overinked notes do escape into circulation.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**20771 Misaligned Face and Back Printing Error Fr. 1929-F \$1 2003 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A rather dramatic misaligned face and back printing error, this Atlanta \$1 FRN's third printing was applied in the normal position.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**20768 Treasury Seal Overinking Error Fr. 2039-F \$10 2004A Federal Reserve Notes. Three Consecutive Examples. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An unusual error with the green ink of the Treasury Seal being greatly overinked on this trio. All of the words in the seal are eradicated, yet the scale, chevron, key, and individual stars are still distinct. Each note also has three ink drops below the Treasury Seal, and below the ink drops there is a line of green ink clinging to the bottom edge. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20772 Misaligned Face Printing Error Fr. 1929-I \$1 2003 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The entire third printing on this note went terribly awry and is shifted drastically to the left with part of the right serial number and the Treasury Seal landing within the portrait. The right end is missing as a large portion of the left adjacent note remains. In the left margin between the two notes are two "9" district indicators and two characters of the left serial number. This is one of the more dramatic examples of this error type to be a part of our auctions.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**20769 Insufficient Magnetic Ink Fr. 2077-G \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Notes. Two Consecutive Examples. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The entire magnetic ink checkerboard pattern is missing from this striking error pair. This type of error began slipping into circulation with the 1990 Series when the BEP added several anti-counterfeiting measures to our nation's paper money. We auctioned the immediate succeeding note of this pair with the same completeness of missing magnetic ink and also in the same PMG grade for \$900 in September, 2020. Our current offering is the first time that we have issued consecutive notes of this error type with all of the magnetic ink missing. Therefore, look for the last September figure to be at least doubled, if not more. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**20773 Defective Stock Error Fr. 1975-H \$5 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

An intriguing error printed on what PMG rather enigmatically calls, "defective paper stock." While the presence of the normal red and blue fibers would indicate that standard Crane bank note stock was utilized, the paper is clearly distinctly thinner than normal, with the printing on each side visible on the other. The fourth edition of the Bart error reference states on pages 272-73, "...in rare instances, the stock is so thin as to be translucent." This is the obvious situation with this St. Louis \$5.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**20774 Inverted Star Error Fr. 2150-L★ \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

An interesting error note, with the star at the end of the left serial number inverted. These notes are elusive simply as replacements, but even more so with this inverted star error. A few pinholes have been noted by PMG on this moderately circulated, well printed example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**20775 Misaligned Face Printing Error Fr. 2173-D \$100 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

Just the face printing is misaligned with the back printing normal on this always popular error type. We have rarely been able to offer an example of this denomination with this much of a face printing misalignment.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**20776 Cutting Error Fr. 2302 \$5 1934A Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**

This plate letter H Hawaii \$5 has a cutting error. The upper margin shows a portion of the above adjacent note's frame line at far left. Then the margin tapers downwards to the upper right corner. The bottom margin begins just inside the frame line at far left, gradually widening on its journey to the lower right corner. We have auctioned a couple of other miscut examples from this sheet, specifically the plate letter I and J notes. The plate letter J piece also graded PCGS 66PPQ and went for \$2,350 in May, 2017.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**20777 Second Print Doubled Error Fr. 1972-J \$5 1969C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

The face double printing affects the obligation clause, the signatures, the series, the right face plate number, and "Washington, DC." There is enough separation between the two printings that each printing is distinguishable. A tear is mentioned on the back label.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Pleasing Doubled Face Print Error



**20778 Doubled Print Error Fr. 2072-B \$20 1977 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A spectacular example of the popular doubled printing error appears on the face of this well margined New York \$20. The separation between the two prints is the key to value. This piece is certainly one of the most distinctive that we have handled of this error genre.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**

**End of Session Three**



# SESSION FIVE

## FEDERAL BONDS



**21203 Fr. UNL Hessler X134E \$10,000 186\_ Temporary Loan of 1862 St. Louis Office of the Assistant Treasurer of the United States Remainder PMG Fine 12 Net.**

A well circulated example of this very rare Temporary Loan Certificate. Hessler gives the X134E number his highest rarity rating of R8, 1 to 3 known. Assistant Treasurers were authorized to receive deposits of not less than \$100 for a term of not less than 30 days. In return, they would issue a certificate of deposit earning 5% per annum. A red printing on the face of this certificate states the 30 day factor and that it was also payable in Legal Tender Notes. In order to get your money back, you had to turn in your certificate of deposit. This resulted in the extreme rarity of these certificates. This is an unsigned and undated Remainder. Nonetheless, it is a great and unusual financial instrument from the early days of the Civil War. The back is brighter than the front and PMG mentions 'Restoration'.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21204 \$20 Spanish-American War 3% Coupon Bond of 1898 Hessler X188G PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

This is the smallest denomination for this patriotic issue that was issued to help provide the ways and means to meet the expenditures of the Spanish-American War. It only took \$20 to buy a bond and support the troops in this far-flung war. This bond measures approximately 13 by 6.5 inches and has a blind embossed Treasury Seal at center. Its only handling consists of three vertical folds that support this example earning its EPQ grade modifier. The bottom edge meanders, but we will blame that on the fact that the original owner probably only had a large pair of shears to do the coupon cutting. Nevertheless, this impressive bond has retained not only four wide margins, but much history. It is certainly a worthwhile addition to any serious bond collection.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## LARGE SIZE

### DEMAND NOTES



**21205 Fr. 1 \$5 1861 Demand Note PMG Very Fine 20 Net.**

A moderately circulated and well signed example of this early Demand note is offered here. Despite some tears and repairs, it faces up nicely for the assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21206 Fr. 2 \$5 1861 Demand Note PMG Very Fine 25.**

An extremely nice Philadelphia example for the grade, this piece is housed in a comment free third party holder. Our inspection reveals a superior mid-grade note with sound edges and paper. In addition, the folds are for the most part light and well spaced apart. Dark inks have also been retained along with the solid penned signatures. The last Fr. 2 to cross our auction block in the PMG VF 25 grade without a negative comment brought \$3,840 on a \$4,000 estimate in September, 2019.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21207 Fr. 3 \$5 1861 Demand Note PMG Choice Fine 15.**  
An attractive and well-signed Boston \$5 Demand Note, this piece was last on the market in our May 1997 auction. The margins are ample on this evenly circulated example that, as we noted almost 24 years ago, just has a minor margin repair.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**

### Attractive Fr. 8 Demand Note



**21208 Fr. 8 \$10 1861 Demand Note PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20 Details.**  
Track & Price lists 40 examples of this Ten Dollar Boston Demand Note and has no record of any ever having been graded better than XF. Those XF offerings were notes that have yet to be graded by PMG or PCGS. With some leniency offered to Demand Notes in past auctions, it is likely that the XF examples known may also score no better grade than VF from the third party services today. This offering exhibits pleasing color and even wear with just a few minor edge restorations.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## LEGAL TENDER NOTES

**21209 Fr. 16 \$1 1862 Legal Tender PCGS Extremely Fine 45PPQ.**  
A well printed example, this early Legal Ace exhibits no problems, and more importantly, retains its original surfaces. The edges are sound and the colors impeccable.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21210 Fr. 16a \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
This is the scarcer variety with National Bank Note Company printed twice at the bottom of the note and the ABNCo. monogram at the right edge. This is the massively scarcer of the two numbers with only about 75 examples known as opposed to over 2,000 Fr. 16s. While these bring a far stronger price, it is only in the range of four or five-to-one, not anywhere near its proportion to rarity.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21211 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 64.**  
A well preserved Series 249 \$1 Legal, the note sports dark inks and beautiful paper. Only its margin size prevents consideration of a Gem grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**





21212 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.

A lovely note, this example enjoys brighter paper than is usually encountered. The cherry red seal and serial numbers contrast perfectly against the creamy paper.

Starting Bid: \$875



21213 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A bright and pretty early \$1 Legal, this piece bears low serial number 120. PMG has mentioned a minor restoration, but nothing is readily discernable even after close inspection.

Starting Bid: \$750



21214 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A bright and pretty early \$1 Legal from the "A" plate position, this piece has ample margins all around. Its only detracting factor is a minor edge tear.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Near-Gem 1869 \$1 Legal Tender



21215 Fr. 18 \$1 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ

This Rainbow Ace has incredibly bright colors and sharp print quality. If the face wasn't centered a touch high, it would surely have been awarded a Gem grade.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



21216 Fr. 18 \$1 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ

Only two other Fr. 18 notes graded PMG 63 EPQ have crossed our auction block. The first occurred in September, 2014 and realized \$2,937. The second was in September, 2020 and fetched \$4,080.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,500



**21217 Fr. 18 \$1 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**  
A pretty Legal Ace, this piece shows lots of bright color and Excellent Paper Quality. It would qualify for at least the Choice grade but for light handling not easily visible through the holder.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21219 Fr. 27 \$1 1878 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A lovely ace, this piece has escaped enumeration until now. It is a plate letter D example that has the bottom half of plate number 111 at top center. It is the highest third party graded Fr. 27 to cross our auction block in almost two years.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

### Extremely Rare "D" Series 1875 Legal Ace



**21218 Fr. 24 \$1 1875 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**  
Although this Series D \$1 1875 might not be the top population note or boast a lengthy pedigree, it is very rarely offered. There are just 23 known in all grades, with this offering a new addition to that small group. PMG has mentioned that it has had some repair work, but otherwise, it is a pleasing circulated note with excellent color and ample margins all around.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21220 Fr. 30 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A well preserved plate letter D ace, this note has almost all of plate number "82" visible at the top center. The unprinted area on the back shows strong embossing of the stars on the Treasury Seal.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21221 Fr. 35 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
PMG has graded only four Fr. 35 notes higher and that by a single grade point for each. The last time we offered an example in this exact PMG grade was in 2017. That year saw us offer three and they each realized a price in the \$1,806 to \$2,056 range.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$850**



**21222 Cut Sheet of Four Fr. 36 \$1 1917 Legal Tenders PMG Graded.**

The second nicest Fr. 36 cut sheet of four that we have auctioned is offered in this lot. It is surpassed only by the highest graded, and that by the slimmest of margins. In grade order, from highest to lowest, the plate letter B note grades **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ★**, the A example grades **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**, and the C and D pieces grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**. The highest graded cut sheet of this Friedberg number that we have previously auctioned consisted of four PMG Gem 66 EPQ notes and it realized \$3,240 in September, 2020. Tonight's well preserved quartet should seriously challenge that figure. (Total: 4 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

**21223 Cut Sheet of Four Fr. 36 \$1 1917 Legal Tenders PMG Graded.**

A nicely preserved Cut Sheet sporting paper originality is offered here. The plate letter B note grades **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**. The A and C pieces grade **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ**. The D example weighs in at **Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ**. It is indicative of the depth and scope of our consignor's collection that he has two cut sheets representing this Friedberg number. (Total: 4 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21224 Near Solid Serial Number 99999990 Fr. 38 \$1 1917 Mule Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A boldly printed, near-Gem example, this Elliott-White \$1 Legal features a near-solid serial number of K99999990A.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

**21225 Near Solid Serial Number 87777777 Fr. 39 \$1 1917 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A lot of 7's are seen in the serial number of this lovely \$1 Legal that bears near-solid serial number M87777777A.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21226 Fr. 40 \$1 1923 Legal Tender PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ★.**

A gorgeous example of this popular one Friedberg number type note that has earned the PMG "Black Star" designation. On EPQ notes, this indicates that they have exceptional eye appeal for their assigned grade. PMG introduced this at the Memphis 2014 International Paper Money Show. The well centered, deeply embossed \$1 Legal is certainly deserving of that accolade as it appears to have rolled off the press this morning.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21227 Fr. 40★ \$1 1923 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.**

A beautiful \$1 Legal replacement note, this example bears the four digit serial number ★4403D. It features a bold red overprint and punch through embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21228 Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Particularly vibrant with amazing color, this note features 100% fully bright and original paper. The grade limiting factor here is margin size, with broader margins all around, the boldly printed Legal Deuce would have graded Gem. In our last FUN auction, we sold an identically graded example for \$4,080.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21229 Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Particularly vibrant with amazing color and 100% fully bright paper. The grade limiting factor here is margin size, with broader margins all around, the note would have graded Gem. This pretty Legal Deuce made its last public appearance in a 1998 Smythe sale.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21230 Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote About Unc 55.**

Flashy ink colors and sharp printing quality highlight this 1862 Deuce. The margins are a bit tight, but the paper quality is better than most at this grade level.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

**21231 Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Light folds and dark inks are viewed through the encapsulation on this Series 140 deuce. Ample margins are observed on all four sides.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21232 Fr. 42 \$2 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

Four ample margins, wonderful color, and deep, original embossing give this Rainbow Deuce the initial appearance of a Choice New note. However, upon close examination, some very light handling can be found.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21233 Fr. 42 \$2 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

A pleasant mid grade example of a Rainbow Two, its colors are strong and its margins are more than adequate. The overall appearance is excellent.

**Starting Bid: \$1,125**



**21234 Fr. 42 \$2 1869 Legal Tender PCGS Very Fine 35.**

A charming \$2 Rainbow, this piece looks like a much higher-graded note at first glance. Upon closer inspection, one can see a handful of light folds. Nonetheless, this example still possesses great appeal for the assigned grade, and should command a premium bid.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**21235 Fr. 42 \$2 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
A sharply printed Rainbow Deuce, this piece features its distinctively blue tinted end paper easily visible even on the reverse. This is a problem-free example with just light, even wear.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21236 Hessler 155 Fr. 43-60 \$2 Legal Tender 1874-1917 Back Proof. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
A black and white Back Proof of the long-lived \$2 Legal Tender design that was issued from 1874 until the end of the Large Size era in the late 1920's. This is a most attractive piece printed on a wide margined card with just a few very minor printers' annotations observed.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21237 Fr. 47 \$2 1875 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.**  
Only 132 examples are known for this Friedberg number according to Track & Price. The huge majority of these grade lower than this high end AU. This pretty note, which just has a few pinholes, has fresh color and a very nice overall appearance.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21238 Fr. 61a \$5 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
A delightful Series 45 note, this piece has appeared at auction only one time as far as we know, and that was over 30 years ago. Natural paper wave and excellent inks make for one quality addition to the next collection that it enters. We auctioned two of these graded 64 by PMG in 2019 and 2020. The January, 2019 example graded PMG 64 EPQ and realized \$3,120. The September, 2020 piece graded PMG 64 with the comment of "Good Embossing" on the back label and brought \$3,840.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21239 Fr. 61a \$5 1862 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 53.**  
Spectacular color, bright paper, and great eye appeal all combine on this high end AU 1862 Legal five.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**

**21240 Fr. 61c \$5 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.**  
A strongly embossed example, this early \$5 Legal has great color and ample margins. However, there is evidence of a previous mounting on the back.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**





**21241 Fr. 63 \$5 1863 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
A pretty example, this early \$5 Legal has good centering and margins. PMG has commented about minor rust which is nothing more than an insignificant speck on the back of this well printed note.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21242 Fr. 63a \$5 1863 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
A fully margined, brightly colored 1863 \$5 that exhibits traces of original embossing. It has also managed to avoid the edge problems that are often seen on these early Federal issues.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21243 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
A beautiful note, this "Rainbow" \$5 1869 Legal Tender is extremely popular among collectors. The colors are vibrant and the margins are ample. This offering should be considered a very desirable example of this note type.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21244 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**  
The "Rainbow" colors that give this note its nickname are unusually pronounced. This attractive Woodchopper Five is only held back in grade by its margins. This is a very pretty and highly desirable example of this popular type note.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21245 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**  
A brilliantly colored, well printed Rainbow Pioneer, this piece, according to PMG, has had a minor repair that is not readily apparent.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21246 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**  
Subtle gradations of color on the face of this well preserved "Rainbow" note display beautifully. PMG has added a comment about minor restoration which is not readily visible.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**





**21247 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.**  
An attractive example of this Rainbow Woodchopper, the offering displays excellent color and original surfaces. Only its margins preclude consideration of an even higher grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21248 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.**  
Excellent colors are exhibited on this \$5 Rainbow which has retained fully original paper surfaces. Only its centering prevents consideration of a higher grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21249 Fr. 67 \$5 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
Fr. 67 is the most available of the 1875 "letter series" notes of any of the denominations. About 140 examples are known, making this a far less expensive way to represent the type. This particular one is well margined with good original paper surfaces that still show their embossing. The series "B" overprint is unusually bold and bright.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21250 Fr. 68 \$5 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
A delightful example of this early Woodchopper note with ideal inks and paper originality, this piece is from a run of notes in the census with all being in the 63-64 grade range.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21251 Fr. 71 \$5 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.**  
A very attractive note, this piece displays the perfect blend of colors and originality to pique some bidding interest. It is a very good looking example of this type. We last offered this pretty \$5 Legal in our 2005 FUN auction where we called it Gem New. PCGS has agreed with our initial assessment.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**21252 Fr. 86 \$5 1907 Legal Tender PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 Net.**  
This AU looking Woodchopper has a small scuff on back, which is what we assume was PMG's reason for noting an erasure and discoloration. Regardless, it is hardly a distraction.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**





**21253 Fr. 91 \$5 1907 Legal Tender PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**  
This is the highest PMG grade for this Friedberg number. PMG has bestowed it a grand total of only nine times. This is a carefully preserved example that is well centered within balanced margins. The prominent embossing depicts individual stars on the Treasury Seal. Natural paper wave is present, too. Overall, it is a lovely Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ Woodchopper with certainly all of the important attributes that one seeks.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21254 Fr. 93 \$10 1862 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62.**  
A well preserved example of this early \$10 Legal, the note is decently margined with excellent color. This appealing offering made its last public appearance in our May 1998 auction.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21255 Fr. 93 \$10 1862 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**  
The split and tear repairs noted by PMG were professionally executed. As a result, they do not affect the eye appeal in a significant way. Each of the design elements remains bold on this early \$10 Legal.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21256 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**  
A well printed "Rainbow Ten" with colors that demonstrate why this note has long held that distinctive name. Only its margins prevent consideration of a higher grade for this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21257 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.**  
Save for the tight right margin, this Rainbow Ten has all of the attributes of a perfect Gem. The colors are terrific and the note has a very nice overall appearance.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21258 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58 PPQ.**

The inks on this Rainbow Jackass are boldly printed, and give great contrast to the blue, green, and red hues that give this type its nickname. The PPQ designation added by PCGS is a clear testament to this note's unabashed originality. Whatever minor flaw the grading service has based its conclusion on, it is utterly invisible through the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**





**21259 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
A pleasing example, this popular type can be acquired for a fraction of the price of a fully Uncirculated example. This Rainbow \$10 exhibits vibrant ink colors with no real evidence of handling.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21260 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
A pleasing example, this popular type can be acquired for a fraction of the price of a fully Uncirculated example. Four ample margins surround this well printed and quite colorful \$10 Legal.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21261 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
A lightly circulated Rainbow \$10, this example has decent margins and terrific color. However, it is missing its top right corner.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21262 Fr. 100 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
An attractive, well margined example, this early \$10 Legal features the elaborate large brown spiked seal, green back and red serial numbers.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21263 Fr. 102 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
This note is from a small run of pieces that has supplied virtually all the known Uncirculated notes of this number. This one has deep, original embossing, ideal color and a freshness to the surfaces that gives the impression of the note having just been printed.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21264 Fr. 104 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
A pleasant mid grade example of the popular "Jackass" \$10 Legal Tender design, this note is well inked and shows off its large red seal to great advantage. The 40 grade seems to be exactly correct. This note has a most unusual four digit plate number entirely within the top margin.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



21265 Fr. 106 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Choice New 63PPQ.

A strikingly handsome \$10 Legal, this example has pure white paper and flashy, fully bright ink colors. Its serial number indicates that it comes from a run of well preserved examples of this Friedberg number.

Starting Bid: \$750



21266 Fr. 107 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

This type with its large spiked, salmon red seal, and deep blue serial numbers has always been a favorite of this cataloger. The contrasting colors are particularly bold on this well printed example. The margins, sharpness, and paper originality more than support the assigned 66 EPQ grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,500

21267 Fr. 107 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

Bold colors are seen on this Choice example of this \$10 Legal. The salmon colored seal is especially bold and the printed devices are inked ever-so-perfectly.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$750



21268 Fr. 113 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A well preserved Fr. 113, this piece is a new entry to the census. PMG has graded only three higher. The Treasury Seal shows embossing in the unprinted area on the left side of the back. The black, blue, red, and green inks are dark, while the paper is white on this lovely Gem.

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Starting Bid: \$750



21269 Fr. 114 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 53.

A nicely margined Bison with serial number embossing on the back. The design also has the portraits of explorers Meriwether Lewis and William Clark. This is a commemorative note, as it circulated roughly 100 years after Lewis and Clark led the Corps of Discovery through the Louisiana Purchase and all the way to the Pacific Ocean. This lightly handled example also has an appealing low four-digit serial number of 1733. Per the Martin Gengerke census, there are just six lower serial numbers known for the Friedberg number, 1, 2, 4, 25, 633, and 958.

Starting Bid: \$2,000





**21270 Fr. 114 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
A light center fold is observed on this nicely margined piece from the first Friedberg number for the design. The last PMG AU 50 Bison that we auctioned realized \$4,200 in April, 2019.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**

**21271 Fr. 114 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
A well margined, lightly circulated example, this piece bears the first Bison signature combination. PMG has commented about minor repairs which appear to be nothing more than a closed split.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21272 Fr. 116 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
A clean looking, lightly handled Bison note that faces up nicely. The Vernon-Treat signature combination is a bit tougher.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21273 Fr. 118 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote About Unc 50.**  
A cherry red overprint is noted on this bright white Bison that represents a very scarce Friedberg number for this popular series. Only a light fold and some handling prevent consideration of a higher grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,375**



**21274 Fr. 119 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
This Bison has incredible color to go along with the coveted "Exceptional Paper Quality & Embossing" comment, as the embossing found on this note is truly unusually pronounced. With a bit more top margin, this pretty note would most certainly would have been awarded a Gem grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21275 Fr. 119 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
Strict originality is displayed by this lovely Bison. Bright inks and pack fresh paper bursting with embossing are just a few of the positive attributes found on this near-Gem example.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21276 Fr. 120 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
Though not terribly scarce, this Teehee-Burke signature combination is outnumbered by the Fr. 122 Speelman-White by a factor of 7 to 1. This piece boasts some remaining embossing, bright white paper, and an equally vivid overprint.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





21277 Fr. 121 \$10 1901 Mule Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

A deep red overprint is seen on this pretty \$10 Legal Tender. The Bison and vignettes of Lewis and Clark are boldly printed. This near-Gem example bears John Burke Back Plate number 334 in the Mule position.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



21280 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 64.

The 64 grade appears to be dead on accurate for this note with decent, but not overly generous margins. The paper and ink colors are perfect. On balance, this is an extremely attractive example of one of our most popular type notes and a member of the "personality note" club.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



21278 Fr. 121 \$10 1901 Mule Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

The overprint is as deep and red as one will find for the type. It contrasts perfectly against the bright white paper. Both the mule variety and the normal Friedberg 121 have similar data recorded in the census. The grade-limiting factor on this beautifully bright and original Bison is the top margin, which supports the 63 grade but nothing higher.

Starting Bid: \$1,750



21281 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.

The snow white paper and bright red overprint create maximum visual appeal on this well margined Bison. Any evidence of handling is difficult to discern through the holder of this pretty note.

Starting Bid: \$1,375



21279 Fr. 121 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Choice About New 58PPQ.

The paper originality is second to none and the embossing bold on this lovely Bison. This piece appears at least Choice in its third party holder. The back plate number on this example is 1.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



21282 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.

A great looking Bison, this example wields full flashy colors, original surfaces, and all the eye appeal in the world. Just some light handling holds this pretty note back from a Choice New grade.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,250





**21283 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
A very nice example of the last signature combination for the popular Bison series. We see bright paper, nice color, and traces of original embossing.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,125**



**21284 Fr. 122★ \$10 1901 Mule Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.**  
A nice, evenly circulated example, this scarce Bison mule star will be a new addition to the Track & Price census, bringing the total to 15 serial numbers. This appealing note is housed in a comment-free holder.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**21285 Fr. 123 \$10 1923 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 25.**  
This moderately circulated example of this popular type note still displays good color and sharp detail. PMG mentions evidence of a previous mounting on the back.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21286 Fr. 126 \$20 1863 Legal Tender PMG Fine 12.**  
The face of this early \$20 Legal features a classic, centrally-placed vignette of Liberty holding a sword and shield that is quite appropriate for the era. One of just 51 pieces recorded for this Friedberg number, this circulated example has nice colors and just some minor rust stains.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21287 Fr. 126b \$20 1863 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**  
Very bright for the grade, this piece is an excellent example to cover this scarce early type. Most importantly, this early \$20 Legal exhibits just even wear and is housed in a comment-free holder.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21288 Fr. 128 \$20 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**  
The Fr. 128 in this lot is a real beauty, with broad margins and super color, only losing EPQ status due to closed pinholes. This note should not be confused with the similar-looking but far more common 1878 series. The 1878 Twenties outnumber these 1875s by nearly three to one, and by an even greater margin in top grade, as a rather long run of Choice and Gem 129s exists.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21289 Fr. 129 \$20 1878 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
Bright paper and excellent color are the hallmarks of this attractive \$20 Legal Tender that appears new in its third party holder.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**21290 Fr. 129 \$20 1878 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50 Net.**  
A lightly circulated example, this early \$20 Legal is quite rare as such. Most of the known survivors are either graded at the Uncirculated level or rather well worn. This note does have a large tear and some residue.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21291 Fr. 129 \$20 1878 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
Barely 200 survivors are reported for this scarcer Friedberg number for the \$20 Legal. This lightly handled example does have some edge damage.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Very Rare Fr. 130 \$20 Legal Tender



**21292 Fr. 130 \$20 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**  
The Scofield-Gilfillan signature combination was the first used on the Series 1880 \$20 Legal Tenders. A mere 360,000 notes were printed, and today around a dozen are known extant. Less than half of the surviving population can be called Very Fine, with a lone EF reported as the only finer note known. With solid, problem free paper, this piece should appeal to any Friedberg number specialist.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21293 Fr. 147★ \$20 1880 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 25.**  
The scarcer non-mule star, this newly surfaced piece is only the 14th example to be reported. It exhibits excellent color for the grade with just some minor repairs. In our 2018 Central States auction, we sold Doug Murray's PMG Very Fine 25 example, albeit in a comment-free holder, for \$2,640.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**21294 Fr. 162 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Very Fine 20.**

We cannot find a single auction appearance of this note even though it was reported by Gene Hessler to the numismatic community in December, 1989. We did see that this \$50 does have the lowest documented serial number of the 26 Fr. 162 serials recorded in the Track & Price Census. This example is only the fifth of this Friedberg number since our Memphis June, 1994 auction, and also the first since October, 2012 to go under our gavel. Overall, it is an evenly circulated and nicely margined representative in a comment free third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21296 Fr. 164 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 25.**

Problem free evenly circulated Fifty Dollar Legals are not seen very often. This solid VF 25 is a nice one. It's well centered, with bright colors and plenty of eye appeal for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## REFUNDING CERTIFICATES



**21295 Fr. 162 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.**

Fr. 162 is a very scarce sleeper number, with a census of only 26 examples in all grades. It is easily overshadowed by the similar appearing Fr. 164, with 250 pieces known. Even the massive Flynn collection that we sold in 2008 lacked a Fr. 162. This should sell for just a bit more than the Fr. 164, but offers lots more value, with the net grade given because of some residue on the back and a few pinholes.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21297 Fr. 214 \$10 1879 Refunding Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**

A handsome example in a comment-free holder, this note appears accurately graded to our eye. The ultimate face value of these notes was \$21.30 when Congress stopped the interest clock in 1907. To this day, this piece remains a valid legal tender instrument for \$21.30. As a numismatic piece, it is worth considerably more.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21298 Fr. 214 \$10 1879 Refunding Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**

An attractive, mid-grade example of this unusual-sized Refunding Certificate, these were really circulating bonds for the average person that could be purchased through the Post Office. Also, banks would put them aside in order to earn the interest. The interest was capped by Congress in 1907 and their value set at \$21.30 each. At that time, there was no longer a need to hold onto them and most all were redeemed. This example was last on the market in a 1998 Smythe sale. Aside from a very minor repair, this note is perfect for the assigned grade.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## SILVER CERTIFICATES



**21299 Fr. 215 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely note with easily seen originality and magnificent full colors. Fr. 215 is the first of the Martha numbers, and has always been popular as a Type Note. This one is a high end example that would make any Type Note collector proud.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21300 Fr. 215 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The last public appearance that we can find for this beautiful Martha ace was when it appeared on a fixed price list in 1979. This plate letter D example is truly a Gem in every respect. Only the top margin keeps it from an even higher grade.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**21301 Fr. 215 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

This PMG 64-graded Martha has margins that come very close to supporting the full Gem grade. This is the first number of the Martha's, the basic type note for this 1886 Series. It is also the most common in high grade.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21302 Fr. 216 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

While Friedberg 216 is hardly a rare number, with over 400 examples known, truly high grade examples are unaccountably scarce, with both PMG and PCGS reporting only a handful of pieces graded at the 64 level and higher. This piece is wonderfully fresh with bright colors and plenty of eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**21303 Fr. 217 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 65.**  
 This Martha features the large, red spiked seal which is boldly printed on this well margined, nicely preserved example.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21306 Fr. 218 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Very Choice New 64PPQ.**  
 The bold red seal generates tremendous eye appeal on this Martha that would have been a Gem save for a touch better centering on the face.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,125**



**21304 Fr. 217 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**  
 A nice collectable example of the Large Red Spiked Seal Martha type, this near-Gem \$1 Silver features excellent color and fully original surfaces.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21307 Fr. 223 \$1 1891 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.**  
 A beautiful example of an 1891 Martha ace. The colors, margins, and print quality are all what one would expect for a PCGS 66 PPQ graded example. A very nice note.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,375**



**21305 Fr. 218 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**  
 Just one other Gem graded Fr. 218 has been offered in the last seven years. This piece boasts full margins and excellent colors front and back, and the front to back centering is ideal.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21308 Fr. 223 \$1 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
 Fresh, well embossed, beautifully bright, and extremely handsome, this piece is so original that the full paper wave can still be seen within the PMG holder of this pretty Martha Ace.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21309 Fr. 223 \$1 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

An appealing example of the last Friedberg number for the Martha aces, this piece is only held back from a Gem grade by its centering. The cherry red seal is perfect atop the fresh and original paper.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21312 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

There never seem to be enough Gem quality \$1 Educational on the market to supply bidder demand. This one has all of the usual positives, including just the right level in inking, deep original embossing, and margins that easily support the Gem grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21310 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely example of this popular \$1 Educational. With its broad margins and boldly printed vignette, this note will be sure to please even the most selective of collectors.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21313 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An ideal 65PPQ with all of the positive attributes that one would expect for the grade. The three-note Educational Series is always considered the height of the bank note engraver's art. Debate continues as to which of the three denominations is the best artistically. This cataloger has always favored the Ace, and this Ace is a real beauty.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21311 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**

Just a point shy of the Superb grade, this handsome example of one of our most iconic paper money designs has the margins and color to support the assigned grade. The original embossing is easily seen through the third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**





21314 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

It is no wonder that this design ranks No. 7 in the book *100 Greatest American Currency Notes*. Strict originality is a trademark of this most pleasing \$1 Educational note.

Starting Bid: \$1,125



21315 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

The painting by William H. Low that inspired this design is still hanging in the Bureau of Engraving & Printing in Washington D.C. Both pieces are true works of art. Strict originality is found on this most pleasing \$1 Educational note.

Starting Bid: \$1,125



21316 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

This true work of art was designed by William H. Low. The EPQ designation reflects the true originality of this beautiful banknote.

Starting Bid: \$1,125



21317 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64. A bright and well printed \$1 Educational, this piece just doesn't quite have the margins for the full Gem grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



21318 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.

A very well margined and obviously original \$1 Educational, this piece displays flashy ink colors.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



21319 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

An attractive, fully original Educational Ace with just minor handling is offered here. As an added bonus, it displays a near-solid serial number of 666966.

Starting Bid: \$750

21320 **Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A soft fold or some other minor handling accounts for the assigned grade on this strictly original and lovely example of this popular Educational series note.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



21321 **Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A well margined plate letter D \$1 Educational, this piece gives the impression of a higher grade through the third party holder. The last 58 PMG Fr. 224 that we auctioned realized \$1,741.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**

21322 **Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

Nicely margined, this Educational Ace is sharply printed and has the look of a higher grade within its PMG holder.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



21323 **Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**

A handsome example of this popular issue, this piece is lightly handled yet displays great color and strong embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



21324 **Fr. 225 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A fresh, pretty example of this scarcer One Dollar Educational signature combination. According to the latest Track & Price census, Fr. 225 is outnumbered by Fr. 224 by over two to one.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



21325 **Fr. 225 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Bright paper, great embossing, and a boldly printed back all combine to generate plenty of eye appeal on this note, from the scarcer of the two Friedberg numbers for the issue.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



21326 **Fr. 225 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

The Bruce-Roberts signature combination is the scarcer of the two Friedberg numbers. This Educational note is very appealing with great coloring, nice margins, and sharp corners. It will surely make a great addition to the winning bidder's collection. The grade limiting factor is not fully evident within the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**21327 Fr. 226a \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Quite a common Black Eagle, even in very high grade, but a 67 EPQ in a PMG holder is a rather scarce item. The Track & Price auction census shows very few examples of Fr. 226 in PMG holders, with the vast majority listed being from PCGS. PMG has also awarded the dual accolades "Exceptional Paper Quality & Embossing" to this pretty note. Everything they have said about the note from the numerical grade to the comments is fully accurate. It is a true beauty that will make any collector of Superb pieces proud.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21328 Fr. 229 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Lovely and well margined. Surprisingly, 2020 came and went, without a single Superb Gem PMG graded example offered for this Friedberg number.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21329 Fr. 233 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Undulating paper surfaces, deep embossing of the blue overprint devices, perfect color, and balanced margins are the characteristics of this gorgeous T-T block Black Eagle.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21330 Fr. 233 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A great example of this signature combination, this note features razor sharp corners, ideal centering, and very deep embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21331 Fr. 234★ \$1 1899 Mule Silver Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

PMG has graded only four Fr. 234★ mules. Just one is nicer, and none are equal to our current offering. Star mules for this number are many times rarer than their non-mule counterparts, as the third and final edition of the Murray Census in *The Complete Catalog of United States Large Size Star Notes 1910-1929* published in 2007 lists a measly seven Fr. 234★ mules and that number includes the star in this lot.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



21332 Fr. 237 \$1 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.

A bold blue seal, serial numbers, and strong embossing highlight this large size Silver Ace. Though a common Friedberg number, this beauty is one of just two pieces graded at this lofty level by PMG with none finer.

Starting Bid: \$875



21333 Fr. 241 \$2 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

This wonderfully original Hancock remains attractive and bright. Overall, the eye appeal is most pleasing with great color noticed. A little better face centering would have locked in the Gem designation.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21334 Fr. 241 \$2 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

Fr. 241 is the most elusive number of the 1886 twos. This is a sharply printed fully original example which, with a bit better centering, would fully hit the Gem grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21335 Fr. 242 \$2 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A Gem Hancock, this offering is from one of the two serial number runs that have supplied most of today's collectors with high-end examples of this handsome late 19th century type. The margins are broad and the colors vibrant. This note has easily earned its PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ rating.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



21336 Fr. 242 \$2 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A gorgeous General Hancock \$2, this piece made its last auction appearance over 25 years ago. Friedberg 242 notes in this third party grade realized between \$3,000 and \$3,600 in our auctions dating back to 2018.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

Starting Bid: \$2,000



21337 Fr. 242 \$2 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A pretty Hancock deuce from the second of two runs that has supplied collectors with high grade examples of this Friedberg number, this well printed example just has a few pinholes.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

Starting Bid: \$875





21338 Fr. 243 \$2 1886 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 53. A well margined and colorful Hancock Deuce, this piece is a new addition to the census. According to PMG, its only flaw is a very small tear that is not readily visible through the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



21339 Fr. 245 \$2 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ. Wide margins, clean paper, and bold color provide this Windom Deuce with plenty of eye appeal for the assigned grade. Any evidence of handling is not readily seen through the holder of this pretty note.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,375**

## Near-Gem Fr. 246 Windom Deuce



21340 Fr. 246 \$2 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64. William Windom (who was actually the grandfather of the actor who recently passed away of the same name) served twice as Secretary of the Treasury: from 1881 though 1884, and again from 1889 through 1891. This is a type that lasted through only two signature combinations, and appearances of high-end examples are becoming more widely spaced as time goes by. This bright, well printed example appears to have wide enough margins for the full Gem grade.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



21341 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Choice XF 45 PPQ. Just about as nice as an XF can be with sizable margins, this Educational Deuce with a low five-digit serial number has near perfect color, and no defects save for what appears to be three light storage folds. It is superior for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,375**



21342 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Extremely Fine 45PPQ.

Everyone's favorite type of XF. Three light folds can barely be seen on this super-fresh, originally embossed, beautifully margined \$2 Educational. Starting Bid: \$1,375



21345 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Extremely Fine 40PPQ.

A well framed example with even margins and light folds. Embossing is seen on the upper serial number of this fully original \$2 Educational. Starting Bid: \$1,250



21343 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.

An extremely nice Educational Two, this note, with wholesome margins and bright colors, has sustained just very light circulation. The paper is strikingly original with a small, barely visible paper scuff as the only minor detriment keeping the EPQ designation off of this holder. Starting Bid: \$1,250



21346 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A pleasing example of this popular Educational Deuce, this note is well margined and still displays flashy color. Only light, problem-free wear has been sustained by this pretty note. Starting Bid: \$875



21344 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ

A perfect high end, lightly circulated \$2 Educational which is guaranteed to delight its fortunate new owner. The margins and print quality are far above average. The note's embossing is still visible through the PMG holder. Starting Bid: \$1,250



21347 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A pleasing example of this popular Educational Deuce, this note is well margined and still displays flashy color. Only light, problem-free wear has been sustained by this pretty note. Starting Bid: \$875

21348 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.

Science Presenting Steam and Electricity to Commerce and Manufacture is seen on this nicely margined and colorful Educational Deuce. This second in the series piece has sustained just moderate, problem free wear. Starting Bid: \$750





**21349 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

An only lightly circulated Educational \$2, this offering is well margined with strict originality and strong eye appeal.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

**21350 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
This well margined mid-grade example has boldly inked surfaces and a colorful overprint. The paper remains quite clean and provides strong overall eye appeal for the assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21351 Fr. 249 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A well margined beauty in every regard, this plate letter A deuce sports full margins on all four sides, impeccable color, and paper originality that includes natural paper wave and embossing of the blue overprint. The last time this note was publicly available was in 1990. Friedberg 249 notes carry a different shade of blue than the other numbers of this design.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21352 Fr. 249 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.**

The first Friedberg number from this lengthy series, this piece is a wonderful example of the type. Clearly graded accurately due to the margins, but in every other sense the note appears utterly superb.

**Starting Bid: \$875**

**21353 Fr. 249 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A lovely example, this note is boldly embossed and fully original. On any given day at either service, this note could easily have merited the full Gem 65 grade.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21354 Fr. 252 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A very nicely centered example, this Agricultural Deuce has super color, good originality and terrific eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21355 Fr. 253 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 66.**

A well centered example, this Napier-McClung Agricultural Deuce has good color, broad, even margins, and flashy bright ink.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**21356 Fr. 258★ \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**  
A beautiful XF star, this piece was once folded into fourths. The three vertical folds easily show this deuce's Exceptional Paper Quality.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21359 Fr. 261 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**  
This is a nice mid-grade example that exhibits the Silver Dollar back well. The note retains bright paper and exhibits just even wear.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21357 Fr. 259 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**  
A very scarce Friedberg number for the Silver Dollar back design, this offering is a new addition to the census of just 49 pieces recorded. It shows moderate wear with a small tear and some stains.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21360 Fr. 262 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
Among Silver Dollar Backs, this piece is one of the scarcer numbers, with only 100 examples reported in Track & Price in all grades combined. The grade assigned here appears totally accurate as the note has good color with just light, even wear. We have sold two examples at the 35 level over the past two years and they both fetched just over \$3,500.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

### Lightly Handled 1886 \$5 Silver Dollar Back



**21358 Fr. 260 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Extremely Fine 45.**  
Always popular due to the five Morgan silver dollars that appear on the back, this is a less commonly seen Friedberg number and a very handsome piece bearing the small red Treasury Seal. The colors remain vibrant. Two horizontal folds and a diagonal corner fold do not provide significant distractions.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21361 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote About Unc 53.**  
A lovely Silver Dollar Back, this note displays all the brightness and flash of a Gem, with the cost of an About Uncirculated. The colors and paper quality are exceptional, and the eye appeal quite obvious through the holder.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**





21362 Fr. 266 \$5 1891 Silver Certificate PCGS About New 50.

The design of this note reflects a philosophy, popular in the 1890s, that large areas of white space would draw attention to the few engraved design elements of a bank note. The earlier approach was to fill the entire printed area with some type of engraving to make it more difficult to mimic. The inks are dark and the handling on this \$5 Silver is confined to the corners.

Starting Bid: \$875



21363 Fr. 268 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.

The Portraits of Civil War Generals Sheridan and Grant grace the back of this Educational Five, a perpetual favorite design within the collecting community. This is a bright, well margined, and original example that just has some light folds. It also carries a low five-digit serial number.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## Elusive \$5 1899 Silver Face Proof



21364 Hessler 361 Fr. 271-81 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate Back Proof PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A uniface back Proof of the design used for the popular Chief series. It lacks a plate number, but is an otherwise faithful rendition of the adopted design. It is mounted on a wide margined card as made. It also includes a some as-made cut cancels which are not distracting at all.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



21365 Fr. 271 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

Excellent color adorns this handsome Chief that possesses natural undulating surfaces. The last PMG 64 Fr. 271 that we auctioned brought \$3,840 in September, 2020. Our current offering should make a serious charge at that figure.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

Starting Bid: \$1,500



**21366 Fr. 271 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The printed details remain quite bold on this pleasing example of the first signature combination for the Chief notes. Examination of the back reveals traces of embossing on this \$5 Silver whose margins have been slightly trimmed.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21369 Fr. 274 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

An unusually tough Friedberg number in the higher grade ranges. Track & Price shows only one appearance per year in 63 or better condition over the past several years. This perfectly original example displays great color and easily seen embossing as attested to by PMG's comments, "Exceptional Paper Quality, Great Embossing."

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21367 Fr. 272 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A charming example from the second scarcest of the eleven Friedberg numbers for the Chief design. PMG comments that this note has good embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$1,375**

**21368 Fr. 273 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Extremely Fine 45.**

The lack of any folds that are visible through the holder gives this pleasing note a full CU appearance. Each of the margins is ample and the ink colors are quite vivid.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21370 Fr. 274 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A bright, well printed example of the popular Chief design, this piece has ample margins all around. This is considered the second scarcest Chief by Friedberg number, so appearances at auction in any Uncirculated grade do not happen very often.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21371 Fr. 274 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58 PPQ.**

A fully original and boldly printed example, this popular Chief note appears to be Choice New in its holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**21372 Fr. 274 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS About New 53PPQ.**  
Premium paper quality includes natural paper wave and serial number embossing on this attractive Chief. Dark inks and white paper round out the description.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21375 Fr. 278 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
A lovely \$5 Chief that exhibits great color. It is held back from a higher grade solely by its tight bottom margin.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21373 Fr. 275 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
A bright, well margined, and very attractive example, this Napier-McClung Chief note appears to have enough centering for the full Gem grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21376 Fr. 278 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**  
Original paper wave is seen, even through the third party holder of this pretty Teehee-Burke Chief note. It has received the accolades "Exceptional Paper Quality & Embossing" from PMG. Fr. 281, the most common Chief, outnumbers this Friedberg number by a ratio of over two to one.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21374 Fr. 277 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
A lovely Chief displaying bright white paper, bold embossing, and a vibrant blue overprint. Only its margins prevent it from being assigned a Gem grade. This pretty note has also received the accolades "Exceptional Paper Quality & Embossing" from PMG.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**21377 Fr. 280 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
Any handling of this Chief is hard to see through the third party encapsulation. Its delightful appearance certainly leaves a favorable impression on the viewer.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



21378 Fr. 281 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58. Excellent color and bright paper are the trademarks of this very lightly handled example of the last signature combination for the Chief design. *From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$875



21381 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64. A very attractive \$5 Porthole, this note faces up quite well for its assigned grade. The paper is bright, and the color remains quite bold.  
Starting Bid: \$1,375



21379 Fr. 281 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55. The year 2020 saw another Fr. 281 in this precise PMG grade real-ize \$1,860. Any handling on this example is concealed by the third party holder.  
Starting Bid: \$875



21382 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63. Slightly tight across the top, this piece is an otherwise near perfect example of the extremely popular Porthole type. *From the Randy Best Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



21380 Fr. 281 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 53. This is the final signature combination for the \$5 Chiefs that were issued for a period of over twenty years. Nice margins and good color are the trademarks of this lightly circulated example. *From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



21383 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58. The margins on this bright example are larger than usually seen on the type. The colors remain bold with vivid white paper underneath. PMG mentions a minor restoration which is difficult to locate through the holder.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000





**21384 Fr. 287 \$10 1880 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Fine 15.**  
An evenly circulated \$10 from a Friedberg number that has less than 100 serial numbers listed in the Track & Price Census, this example is in a comment free third party holder.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21385 Fr. 299 \$10 1891 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
This note has the extra broad side margins that are a trademark of this late-19th century Silver Certificate type. This particular piece has the look of a Choice CU note. The reason for the 55 grade, although we are sure it's there, is certainly not visible through the holder.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$1,125**

## Nice Mid-Grade \$20 1886 Silver Certificate



**21386 Fr. 314 \$20 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 20.**  
An extremely rare and still undervalued type, there are fewer than 160 pieces reported in all grades combined for the four numbers from Fr. 313 through Fr. 316. This example has retained good color and appearance for the grade, and, as the most available number of the quartet, is likely to sell for as inexpensive a figure as any similarly graded \$20 1886 Silver.  
**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21387 Fr. 321 \$20 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
An attractive mid-grade example, this offering has good margins and color for the grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21388 Fr. 322 \$20 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

First reported to the census takers back in 1989, this note is making its first auction appearance today. It is an attractive \$20 Silver with dark inks and white paper. We cannot see enough handling through the third party holder to account for the grade. Register Teehee's signature comes in two sizes on this Friedberg number. Face plates 19-24 have the small signature, while face plates 25 to 30 are of the large signature variety. The example in this lot sports face plate number 26.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**21389 Fr. 322 \$20 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

This is by far the scarcer of the two signature combinations for this type, with just over 170 examples known. This is a very pleasing, moderately circulated example of this popular Manning silver certificate with good margins and attractive color.

**Starting Bid: \$750**

## Well Circulated \$50 1880 Silver Certificate



**21390 Fr. 329 \$50 1880 Silver Certificate PMG Very Good 8 Net.**

Track & Price lists only 29 known Fr. 329 in their census and this is a welcome addition. Although the note is well circulated, it has retained sharp ink colors. PMG notates that there has been restoration.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



## Bruce-Roberts 1891 \$50 Silver Certificate, One of Only 22 Known



### 21391 Fr. 332 \$50 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.

A pleasing, moderately circulated, and solid example of this very rare Friedberg number that has just 22 survivors listed in the latest Track & Price census. The total print run for this signature combination of just 300,000 notes is minuscule in the currency printing realm, and has left few survivors. The paper is bright for the grade with a cherry red seal and deep blue serial numbers.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

## Attractive 1891 \$50 Silver Certificate



### 21393 Fr. 335 \$50 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.

The color and inks remain bold on this Fr. 335 which was the only number for this particular design to feature a blue seal. The note features the portrait of statesman Edward Everett who served as US Secretary of State as well as many other important political and diplomatic positions. It is a new addition to the census of barely 200 pieces reported for this Friedberg number.

Starting Bid: \$1,750

## Attractive Very Fine \$50 Silver



### 21392 Fr. 335 \$50 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

A midnight blue overprint is seen on this bright Very Fine Everett \$50. Edward Everett was the key speaker at the dedication of the Gettysburg Battlefield Cemetery. His two hour long oration, which is now nearly lost to history, preceded President Lincoln's "few short words."

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## TREASURY NOTES



### 21394 Fr. 347 \$1 1890 Treasury Note PCGS Banknote About Unc 55.

A vibrantly colored Treasury Ace, this piece is well margined with only minimal traces of circulation.

Starting Bid: \$1,375



21395 Fr. 347 \$1 1890 Treasury Note PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45. The first Friedberg number for the \$1 Ornate Back type, this example is making its first auction appearance. It was plucked off a dealer's fixed price list by our consignor in 1997. A minor restoration was expertly performed leaving a very nice ace with a minimum of handling for the grade. *From the Randy Best Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



21397 Fr. 350 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ. Perfectly original open back Treasury Aces had a drying pattern after production that produced a very prominent paper wave. The bold embossing of the issue added even more detail for collectors to enjoy. *From the Randy Best Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



21396 Fr. 349 \$1 1890 Treasury Note PMG About Uncirculated 50. The back of this note reflects the design philosophy of the day that the more intricate and detailed the layout, the better to discourage counterfeiting. These notes were payable in coin, with the Secretary of the Treasury given the discretion to decide whether gold or silver coin would be paid out. This is a lightly circulated example with just a few small edge tears.  
Starting Bid: \$750



21398 Fr. 351 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. A very nice representative for the type, examples, although not scarce, remain difficult to locate at the higher end of the grade range. This pretty Coin Note features excellent color and fully original paper surfaces. *From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$875



21399 Fr. 351 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. A very nice example for the type which, although not scarce, remains difficult to locate at the higher end of the grade range.  
Starting Bid: \$875





21400 Fr. 352 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A lovely note for a high end type set. PMG's 66 EPQ grade appears to us to be precisely accurate. The margins certainly support that level and the colors of the inks and paper are fully fresh and bright.

Starting Bid: \$875



21401 Fr. 352 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A lovely note for a high end type set. PMG's 66 EPQ grade appears to us to be precisely accurate. The margins certainly support that level as the colors of the inks and paper are fully fresh and bright.

Starting Bid: \$875



21402 Fr. 352 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A lovely Stanton Ace, this example has brilliant colors, fully original surfaces, and nice margins.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$750



21403 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

Another note in this excellent collection that has evaded the census takers until now. This McPherson deuce is well margined with embossing of the left serial number and the Treasury Seal. The year 2020 saw us bring two Fr. 357 notes to auction in this precise PMG grade. They realized \$3,840 and \$4,080. The beauty in this lot should easily close in that neighborhood. From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,500



21404 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

This Treasury Deuce has bright colors and original embossing. The printing is sharp, and the McPherson portrait is particularly lifelike. With slightly more bottom margin, this pretty piece would have fully qualified for the Gem grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



**21405 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The original paper surfaces are easily seen through the third party holder on this high end McPherson \$2. Save for a slightly tight bottom margin, this note would easily have rated the full Gem grade.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**21406 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Only the slightly tight bottom margin prevented this McPherson deuce from reaching the full Gem grade. The note has great paper originality that can be seen particularly well with the punch through of the seal to the back of the note.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21407 Fr. 358 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Extremely Fine 40 Net.** Excellent color and ample margins are found on this lightly circulated McPherson Deuce. The piece does have some edge tears and was previously mounted.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21408 Fr. 361 \$5 1890 Treasury Note PCGS Banknote Uncirculated 62.**

Apparently held to the 62 grade by a slightly tight bottom margin, this Treasury Five displays colors that are rich and bold—especially the deep green reverse which is among the more intricately engraved designs in the entire large size U.S. currency series. A very pretty Coin Note for its assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21409 Fr. 361 \$5 1890 Treasury Note PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**

A fully fresh, ultimately bright Treasury Five. The portrait of Civil War General Thomas, who is generally considered the most underrated of the highly competent Union Civil War Generals, has a photographic quality created by its tight engraving and careful inking.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



## Near-Superb \$5 Coin Note



### 21410 Fr. 362 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.

A beautiful type note, this piece is about as nice as any PMG has graded of this Friedberg number, as only one Fr. 362 has received a higher grade by PMG to date. The printing is exceptionally vivid, the red overprint a deep blood red, and the originality of the note is evident even through PMG holder.

Starting Bid: \$2,000



### 21411 Fr. 362 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

This General Thomas note is from a run of Uncirculated notes that has supplied generations of collectors with high-end examples of this type. It is a very well margined piece that carries the important "Exceptional Paper Quality" comment. Not truly rare as far as the number graded is concerned, but a very popular type that is always in heavy demand.

From the Randy Best Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,750



### 21412 Fr. 362 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

This General Thomas \$5 has had two owners since 1981. The first owner consigned it to our January, 1997 auction. The second has owned it ever since. It is a lovely example with perfect color. The paper exhibits natural paper ripple and bold embossing of the solid star that ends the left serial number. The last PMG 64 Fr. 362 that we auctioned realized \$2,760 in April, 2020.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,250



### 21413 Fr. 362 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG About Uncirculated 50.

Excellent color and embossing are the hallmarks of this pleasing \$5 Treasury Note that saw only limited circulation.

Starting Bid: \$750

## High Grade Treasury Five



**21414 Fr. 363 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Excellent embossing and ideal color are easily visible through the PMG encasement. Nicely margined, bright, and strictly original, this lovely example of the type was last on the market in our 2010 FUN auction.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21416 Fr. 364 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Wide, even margins and ideal inks highlight this beautiful Gem example of this \$5 Treasury note. Embossing is still seen across multiple areas, and crackling fresh paper provides the perfect backdrop for each of these features.

**Starting Bid: \$2,250**



**21415 Fr. 363 \$5 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

The government seemed to use Coin Notes in the 1890s to honor Civil War Generals. In this case, the honoree was General George H. Thomas, best remembered as the "Rock of Chickamauga" for his stout defensive stand that allowed an orderly retreat of other Union forces who would ultimately win the Battle of Chattanooga. This is a lovely example with great paper surfaces and color.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21417 Fr. 369 \$10 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Our consignor acquired this charming \$10 at auction in 1998. It possesses both excellent color and embossing on the back. A minor erasure located in the back upper left corner is cited on the back label.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$875**

## FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES



**21418 Fr. 713 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Offered here is one of only five examples of this Friedberg number to have made the PCGS Superb Gem New 67 grade, with none finer. PMG has graded none higher than the 66 level. This is a quite lovely note with ideal centering and a vivid blue overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**





**21419 Fr. 718 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Notes. Three Consecutive Examples. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A well margined and strictly original group of examples of the Cleveland FRBN, this set bears a series of low four-digit serial numbers. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21420 Fr. 726★ \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

One of the most difficult of all of the districts from which to obtain any star notes, this piece offers the opportunity for a collector to obtain a high end circulated example. It is one of just six Fr. 726 stars in the census and is tied for the finest known.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21421 Cut Sheet of Four Fr. 727 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Notes.**

An attractive cut sheet with plate letters A, B, and C grading PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ and the plate D note grading PMG Choice Uncirculated 64. This cut sheet is from a longtime collection and is being offered for the first time in many years. The unlisted serial numbers in this lot fall within a range of similar serials listed as either raw or third party Gems in Track & Price. We auctioned last September another Fr. 727 cut sheet from over 600,000 serials away. There were three PMG 64 EPQ notes and one 65 EPQ piece in that offering. That cut sheet realized \$2,100. As there are three PMG 65 EPQ and one PMG 64 example in our current offering, expect a higher figure tonight when the gavel falls. (Total: 4 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

**21422 Solid 1 Serial Numbers Fr. 727 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Notes Two Examples.**

The first note is blessed with seven-digit serial 1111111. It grades PCGS Apparent Fine 15, splits, tears, tape repairs, and stains. The second note is eight-digit with serial 11111111. The latter grades PMG Very Fine 30 Net, splits. Both of these Chicago G-A examples were once wallet pieces, but the latter has retained much of its brightness. To bring these two notes together was surely a numismatic happenstance. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



21423 Fr. 729★ \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A handsome star, this piece is one of just 28 replacement notes recorded for this Friedberg number. It features great color, no real evidence of circulation, and just a few very minor stains.

Starting Bid: \$875



21425 Low Serial Number A2500A Fr. 747 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

Serial number 2500 appears on this Gem Boston Battleship that is a new addition to the census for this better Friedberg number. A natural paper wave and strong embossing provide this note with a solid Gem appearance.

From the Western Gentleman's Collection

Starting Bid: \$1,500

### Finest of Four Reported Fr. 744★ Stars



21424 Fr. 744★ \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

An excessively rare FRBN star, this piece is one of just four reported for this Friedberg number and the only example to ever appear in one of our auctions. It is also easily the finest of the four replacement notes reported as none of the other three stars grade better than Very Good, according to Track & Price. It is a pretty, well margined note with great color and light, even wear.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



21426 Fr. 747 \$2 1918 Low Serial Number Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

An impressive Boston district Battleship deuce, this offering wields wide margins, bright paper, bold color, and deep embossing. A typical 63PQ example approaches the \$2,000 mark. This near Gem, with its low serial number A74A, will no doubt gallop past that figure.

Starting Bid: \$1,375





21427 Fr. 749 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A beautiful banknote, with great paper originality and bold embossing visible right through the holder, this example has excellent margins. It's also a new addition to the census with its serial number fitting right into a group of other known Gem examples.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

Starting Bid: \$1,500



21430 Fr. 756 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.

A deeply inked Philadelphia Battleship, this piece is nicely margined and strongly embossed. While a few examples are known of this Friedberg number at the 66 level, this is the first piece to be graded at the 65 level by a major grading service.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21428 Fr. 751 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

The embossing on this New York District Battleship Deuce can be easily seen through the holder. It's a handsome, well preserved piece that would likely have graded 65 or better, if it had a bit more top margin at left.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21431 Low Serial Number D39A Fr. 757 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

Low two-digit serial number 39 graces this crackling fresh Battleship Deuce from the Cleveland district.

Starting Bid: \$875



21429 Fr. 752 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 64 Details.

A handsome Battleship Deuce, this example shows off excellent colors and obvious deep original embossing. Despite a small edge split at bottom right, this piece is still quite attractive. A note with this much eye appeal will attract plenty of interested bidders.

Starting Bid: \$750



21432 Low Serial Number D18A Fr. 757 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

The Cleveland district is the easiest of the twelve Federal Reserve Banks from which to obtain low serial number notes. This D18A Battleship will bring only a small premium for the two digit number, yet it adds considerably to the interest and appearance of this already very nice note.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



21433 Fr. 758 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63 PPQ.

Fr. 758 is by far the scarcest of the Cleveland Battleship numbers, with just over 85 examples listed in the census. Only about a dozen of these are Uncirculated. This is a particularly attractive piece, with bold embossing, bright paper, and even margins.

Starting Bid: \$750



21436 Fr. 772 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Gem New 65 PPQ.

A lovely Battleship Deuce, this piece was part of a cut sheet that we sold in our 2011 Long Beach auction. All four of the notes were graded at the Gem level, and this piece was no exception. Its originality is clearly evident right through the holder, with deep embossing, and inks that appear to have been applied this morning.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21434 Fr. 759 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

A near-Gem example, this Cleveland Battleship exhibits vivid ink colors, embossing, and natural paper wave.

Starting Bid: \$875



21437 Fr. 777 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

Embossing and excellent color are characteristics of this Dallas Battleship Deuce that was once part of a cut sheet that we auctioned in October 1995.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

Starting Bid: \$1,000

21435 Fr. 769 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

This St. Louis Battleship bears one of the scarcest signature combinations used on any \$2 Federal Reserve Bank Note. This piece is quite high grade for the issue, with PMG having graded only one example higher, a lone EF 45.

Starting Bid: \$750



## Gem Dual Courtesy Autographed \$2 FRBN



**21438 Clerk and Calkins Dual Courtesy Autographed Fr. 779 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely dual courtesy autographed Battleship Deuce, this is the first we have seen or heard of for this Friedberg number. The courtesy signatures of Clerk and Calkins appear above their engraved signatures on this high grade \$2 FRBN that displays vivid color and fully original paper surfaces. **Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21439 Low Serial Number D61A Fr. 785 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A crackling fresh and well margined example, this Cleveland \$5 FRBN features low serial number 61. It is an old friend that is making its first public appearance since our inaugural November 1990 auction. Back then, we called it Choice New, and in the time since, PMG has agreed with that assessment.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21440 Fr. 785 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Very Choice New 64.**

A vivid blue overprint contrasts nicely with the bright, white paper of this near-Gem Cleveland \$5 FRBN.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21441 Fr. 794 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Nicely margined with a terrific overall appearance, this very pretty Chicago District note has bright paper and great color.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21442 Fr. 806 \$5 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Very Fine 30.**

Moderate, problem-free wear and pleasing color are seen on this very scarce Dallas \$5 FRBN that is a new addition to the mere 16 examples reported for the issue. In our last FUN auction, we sold an identically graded note for \$1,800.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



21443 Fr. 810 \$10 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

Fewer than three dozen examples of this scarce issue are known. Three of those are impounded in Federal Reserve Bank Collections around the country. Though this example sits right around the middle of the census for condition, it is very attractive for the grade with nice color and bright paper.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21445 Fr. 817 \$10 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Banknote Uncirculated 62 PPQ.

A well printed and fully original Kansas City district FRBN \$10, this piece comes from a run of Uncirculated examples of this Friedberg number. Only its top and bottom margins preclude consideration of an even higher grade.

Starting Bid: \$1,500

### Top Pop Fr. 816 FRBN with Stamped Signatures



21444 Fr. 816 \$10 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A scarce number with fewer than 50 examples known in all grades combined. Track & Price also shows us that no Uncirculated example has ever crossed the auction block. The grading services agree, as neither has seen an Uncirculated note at any level. This not is tied with one other example at PMG for Top Pop. It is the finest problem free example we have sold from either of the major grading services. We just sold the Mike Coltrane graded PMG Very Fine 20 for \$1,500. A truly illustrious piece, this is a great note in this state of preservation.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



21446 Fr. 817 \$10 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A nicely margined and well printed example of this scarce \$10 FRBN, this note made its last public appearance in a 1999 Bowers and Merena sale. There is just a bit too much handling at right for the full CU grade.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21447 Fr. 828 \$20 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Fine 15.

This piece is new to the census and offered here for the first time to the collecting public. It brings the total know to only forty-five examples, only three of which have been available at public sale during the past five years. PMG lists no flaws for the grade on this well centered note.

Starting Bid: \$1,500



## FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES



21448 Fr. 838a \$5 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A well margined and boldly printed example, this scarce Chicago Red Seal certainly has the appearance of a Choice New note within its holder. **Starting Bid: \$750**



21449 Fr. 855a \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

Only one Fr. 855a has earned the 67 EPQ grade, and none have graded higher. That lone 67 EPQ is the charming example in this lot. It sports rich inks, white paper, and full margins. The vibrant back reveals serial number embossing. This \$5 has been off the market for over five years. It realized \$3,055 when last sold and with even more emphasis on high grades in recent years, it should surpass that figure today. **Starting Bid: \$1,500**

## Sole Finest Graded Fr. 871a \$5 FRN by PMG



21450 Fr. 871a \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

A gorgeous example of this otherwise available \$5 FRN, this piece is the sole finest graded by PMG. With ideal centering, fully original ink colors, and pristine paper surfaces, this note is a "must have" for any Registry Set collector.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



21451 Fr. 893b \$10 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PCGS Choice About New 55PPQ.

Nice margins and excellent color are merits of this lightly circulated New York \$10 Red Seal that retains original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



21452 Fr. 910★ \$10 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A lightly circulated example, this scarce \$10 FRN star is tied with one other note as the finest graded by PMG for this Friedberg number. Nice margins and good color add to the appeal of this pleasing star note that is one of just 31 pieces in the census.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21453 Fr. 912★ \$10 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 20.

Track & Price had only four serial numbers recorded for Fr. 912★ before the surfacing of this comment free star. That does not surprise us, as Doug Murray was able to record only two stars of this Friedberg number during his aggressive pursuit of large size stars from the late 1970s to 2007. The example in this lot is clearly the second highest graded of the five. Our best comparison is with a comment free PMG Choice Fine 15 piece that realized \$1,938 in January, 2017.

Starting Bid: \$750

## Rare Fr. 916★ FRN Star - Just the Fourth Reported



21454 Fr. 916★ \$10 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 20.

An excessively rare \$10 FRN star, this example is just the fourth piece to be reported for this Friedberg number, and only the second of that quartet to be publicly offered anywhere in the past 20 years. PMG has commented about a minor repair which appears to be nothing more than a closed edge split. Five years ago, a PCGS Very Fine 20 example fetched almost \$3,000 at auction.

Starting Bid: \$1,250



21455 Fr. 944★ \$10 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 20.

A very rare star, this example is one of only five replacement notes recorded for this Friedberg number. The serial number on this better Dallas district note is K7837★ which is the lowest by a wide margin.

Starting Bid: \$1,000





**21456 Fr. 957 \$20 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 25.**

Fr. 957 is the only Atlanta district \$20 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note number. It is both scarce and underappreciated. The vast majority of the reported notes are very low grade, with only one of the 25 listed in the Track & Price census grading Uncirculated. This is corroborated by the results of the PMG grading census, which shows a single Uncirculated example, one piece graded VF 30, 3 graded VF 25, 3 graded VF 20, and 13 graded Fine or below. Surprisingly enough, the note we offer tonight is the finest Heritage has offered in any sale, with the runners-up a severely discolored VF 20 and an Apparent VF 20 which we sold back in 2013. PMG does note a bit of ink bleed, which is visible only on the reverse, but this piece faces up beautifully, with a vivid red overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21458 Fr. 1007 \$20 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A well centered and nicely embossed Dallas \$20, this piece is tied with just one other as the finest graded by PMG. The other example graded at this lofty level by PMG fetched \$2,880 in our 2018 Long Beach auction.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21459 Fr. 1014b \$50 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An evenly circulated example of this very tough Philadelphia \$50 Red Seal, this is just the twelfth piece to be reported for this Friedberg number. It has sustained its share of wear, but retains a bold red overprint and is housed in a comment-free holder.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

### Finest Graded Fr. 1005 \$20 FRN



**21457 Fr. 1005 \$20 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

This Dallas Burke-Glass note has proved to be a very rare item, with a population of barely three dozen examples in all grades combined. This attractive \$20, that appears new within its holder, is the finest graded by any third party service.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21460 Fr. 1046 \$50 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A scarcer note, the note is especially so in this state of preservation. The originality is evident right through the holder of this well margined and sharply inked \$50, with embossing easily seen.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

## GOLD CERTIFICATES



**21461 Fr. 1088 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Examples of this type are much rarer in high grade than commonly realized. PMG has graded only eight Uncirculated pieces, just two of them higher than this lovely piece. A touch more top margin would have earned this brilliantly colored note the full Gem grade.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21462 Fr. 1088 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A well margined and handsome example, this New York \$100, while common in the lower grades, is rather scarce in the Uncirculated range.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21463 Fr. 1108 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.**

This Chicago District Burke-McAdoo Hundred is a basic Type Note, with over 100 examples known. The holder says 58, but the note looks fully Uncirculated. A very pretty AU, with broad margins and perfect color.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21464 Fr. 1172 \$10 1907 Gold Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A well margined 1907 \$10 Gold with spectacular color, the note features original embossing that is easily seen through the third-party holder. It is a new note for the census, but fits comfortably into a range of other high-end examples. In our last Long Beach auction, we sold an identically graded piece for \$3,840.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**

**21465 Fr. 1172 \$10 1907 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Bold color, nice margins, and natural paper wave are characteristics of this attractive \$10 Gold that represents a better Friedberg number.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21466 Fr. 1173 \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

While not scarce as a type, these work-horse notes are significantly scarcer in Uncirculated condition, let alone as a high-end Gem such as this attractive, well printed example.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**





**21467 Fr. 1173a \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

An example of the many times scarcer small serial number variety is offered in this lot. The large serial number Fr. 1173 outnumbers 1173a in Track & Price by almost 30 to 1. Wonderful color along with strong paper originality are the hallmarks of this pretty \$10 Gold.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21470 Fr. 1182 \$20 1906 Gold Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.** Series 1906 Golds are far scarcer than the similar looking 1922s. This example is handsome for the grade and seems to be held back from Uncirculated by a single broad corner fold.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21468 Fr. 1180 \$20 1905 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**

The colors on this evenly circulated Technicolor remain strong. The margins are full and the appearance is solid. A minor restoration is noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21471 Fr. 1183 \$20 1906 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Quite a scarce Gold Certificate, there are only about 400 examples known in all grades combined. This is an attractive, well margined piece that likely missed out on a Gem grade due to centering issues on the back. Nevertheless, it does face up as a Gem with vivid color and crackling fresh paper.

**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21469 Fr. 1180 \$20 1905 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Nice color for the face is found on this moderately circulated example of this always popular \$20 Gold type note. A couple of very minor repairs have been noted by PMG on this otherwise pleasing mid-grade Technicolor note.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21472 Fr. 1183★ \$20 1906 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 20.**

This is one of just fourteen recorded serial numbers for Fr. 1183 Star notes. It exhibits even wear and quite vivid color for its assigned grade. Aside from a few closed pinholes, it is problem free and quite attractive.

**Starting Bid: \$750**





**21473 Fr. 1185 \$20 1906 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A deeply inked and well embossed example, this scarcer Friedberg number for the \$20 Golds is one of the prettier notes of this issue that we have offered in quite some time.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21475 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Mule Gold Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Bold inks, white paper, and natural paper wave are merits of this Gem \$20 Gold. In our last Central States auction, an identically graded example realized \$3,120.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**

### PMG 66 EPQ Fr. 1187 \$20 Mule Gold



**21474 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Mule Gold Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Bulls-eye centering within balanced margins, great color, and paper originality step forward on this gorgeous \$20 Gold with a seven-digit serial number. It is definitely a top-notch example for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$1,750**



**21476 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Mule Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A lovely note with rich colors on front and back, set atop perfectly bright paper.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



**21477 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Slightly wider top and bottom margins would surely have been enough to raise this pretty \$20 Gold into the Gem category. Ideal inks and a natural paper wave more than justify the EPQ designation.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$750**





21478 Fr. 1194 \$50 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.  
The Lyons-Treat signature combination on this note is one of the scarcer combinations for 1882 \$50 Golds. To date, about four dozen notes are known, including this moderately circulated example. It has had some modest repair work, but faces up quite nicely with nice margins and excellent color.  
**Starting Bid: \$750**



21480 Fr. 1198 \$50 1913 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.  
A scarce one-year type that is rarely seen in grades above Very Fine, this example boasts solid colors and problem-free wear. Merely 400,000 notes in total were printed bearing the Parker-Burke signature combination. It is one of barely 80 pieces recorded in the current census.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



21479 Fr. 1198 \$50 1913 Gold Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40.  
Quite attractive for the assigned 40 grade with excellent margins, good color on the front, and spectacular color on the back. We have always found these 1913 Series \$50s to be highly underrated, and although the prices have increased somewhat, we still believe them to be disproportionately low compared to the rest of the market. This is a new addition to the census of just 81 pieces recorded, and aside from a couple of closed pinholes, the note displays original surfaces.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



21481 Fr. 1199 \$50 1913 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.  
Bright colors on both the overprint and back design can be observed on this pretty \$50 Gold that just has some light folds. Fewer than 400 serials are recorded for this better Friedberg number.  
**Starting Bid: \$875**



21482 Fr. 1200★ \$50 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Fine 15.  
An elusive replacement note, this piece is one of just 14 examples recorded for the large serial number variety. Some minor writing on the face has been partially erased.  
**Starting Bid: \$1,500**



**21483 Fr. 1206 \$100 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**  
A better Friedberg number, this signature combination currently has 52 examples enumerated in Track & Price. This new addition to that small group is a vividly inked example that is well margined with just even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21486 Fr. 1215 \$100 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**  
The Red Seal retains nice color on this large denomination note which was redeemable in gold coin. This piece exhibits just even, problem-free wear.

**Starting Bid: \$750**



**21484 Fr. 1211 \$100 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**  
Very nicely margined, with strong ink colors and paper that is amazingly white for the VF 30 grade. PMG has commented about a minor repair and a tear, but those flaws are indeed minor and do little to detract from this scarce note's overall pleasing appearance. It is one of just 57 serials recorded for this tough Friedberg number.

**Starting Bid: \$875**



**21487 Fr. 1216 \$500 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Good 4 Net.**  
Not a thing of beauty, but this well used \$500 Gold represents a very tough Friedberg number and is one of just 28 numbers recorded in the census. It has plenty of rust damage and repairs but the major design elements remain clear and bold. If a collector wants to build a Low Ball Registry Set of high denomination examples, this is the note for you.

**Starting Bid: \$2,000**



**21485 Fr. 1213 \$100 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
The colors are quite bright on this well margined, lightly circulated \$100 Gold Certificate that still shows traces of embossing. A couple of closed edge splits have been noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**



## Fr. 1225h \$10,000 Gold PMG 64



### 21488 Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

This crisp example is cancelled, which PMG notes on the holder, but lacks the typical water stains that are normally present on these notes. The centering is above average, and the overall eye appeal is outstanding for the issue. These notes come from a fire in a Treasury warehouse in 1935. When they were thrown into the street to prevent the fire from spreading, passersby picked up the cancelled and redeemed notes. These have become favorites among currency collectors ever since. They are not redeemable, of course, but they certainly are impressive items for display. **Starting Bid: \$2,000**



### 21490 Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

The first auction appearance that we know of for this unredeemable \$10,000 occurred in 1989. We cannot find any folds through the third party holder during our examination. We did observe embossing, and it is particularly strong behind the upper right serial number and the black box printed over "Assistant" at center. The penned signature of F.J.F. Thiel remains bold on this piece that carries a "Nov. 22, 1916" printed date. A moisture spot affecting the rubber stamped endorsement on the back is a clue that this example was a witness to the multi-alarm Washington, DC Old Post Office fire on the night of December 13, 1935. Whoever pocketed this note after it fluttered down to the street, did an excellent job in protecting it. The usual roulette cancellation for this number is found in the area of Jackson's portrait. Since April, 2020 we have auctioned four other PMG 63 Fr. 1225h pieces and they have all realized prices in the \$4,080 to \$4,680 range. **Starting Bid: \$1,750**



### 21489 Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A new note for the census that falls near a small run of Uncirculated examples for Fr. 1225h. This non-redeemable \$10,000 note sports nice color and is hole punch canceled like every example of this design. Most importantly, it has avoided the water stains usually seen on this popular issue. **Starting Bid: \$1,750**



### 21491 Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55.

This unredeemable and uniface note was not intended for general circulation, but was used within the Federal Reserve System. It has the usual roulette cancellation at far left that you almost always see on Fr. 1225h pieces. The back label states that the note is water stained. This remark places it at the five alarm Washington, DC Old Post Office fire on the night of December 13, 1935. Firefighters tossed many of these notes along with other combustible material from the windows of a large filing room on the sixth floor. The lucky onlookers below were able to pick the notes up and go on their way. For further details on this conflagration and its aftermath, see "Add a Fr. 1225 Gold Certificate to Your Collection," *Paper Money, Society of Paper Money Collectors, September/October 2009, Whole No. 263, pages 382-83.* **Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21492 Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A well margined and unstained example of the Fr. 1225h variety where "Assistant" at center has been printed over with a black rectangle box, "Washington Issue" has been printed at lower left, "Deputy" has been printed before "Asst. Treasurer of U.S.," and there is a "Jan. 10, 1917" date. This uniface and unredeemable note also has the usual roulette cancellation at left.

**Starting Bid: \$1,250**



**21493 Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

This non-redeemable Fr. 1225h has the usual perforation cancel and is also a new serial number for the census. It is signed by an Assistant Treasurer instead of the usually seen signature of Deputy Assistant Treasurer of the United States F.J.F. Thiel. Therefore, this piece lacks the added "Deputy" at bottom center, while "Assistant" of "Assistant Treasurer" at center is blocked out. This example is missing its extreme upper right corner tip and a small tear is mentioned on the back label.

**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

## End of Session Five



## SESSION SIX

### CONTINENTAL CURRENCY

**21494 Continental Currency May 10, 1775 \$5 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

The printed details remain bold, with remaining signatures and serial number, on this attractive Continental.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21495 Continental Currency November 29, 1775 \$2 PCGS Banknote Choice About Uncirculated 55 PPQ.**

A lovely, fully framed \$2 with darkly penned serial number and signatures of Frederick Kuhl and Anthony Morris, Jr., this piece is sure to make its new owner happy.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21496 Continental Currency November 29, 1775 \$7 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A decently margined example, this piece displays terrific color and lots of eye appeal due to the dark printing and the strong signatures. Notes from this second Continental issue are challenging to find in the higher Uncirculated grades.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21497 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$1/3 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

A lightly handled note that last crossed our auction block at our June, 2010 Memphis auction, the offering is attractive on both sides and has a bold red ink signature.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21498 Counterfeit Detector Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$2 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A dark printing enhances the desirability of this counterfeit detector that has a light center fold.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$300**



**21499 Continental Currency February 17, 1776 \$3 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A highly desirable example, this \$3 Continental has sharp printing and bold signatures. Through the holder, it appears to have enough margins to have received the full Gem grade.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**21500 Continental Currency July 22, 1776 \$8 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

Both bold signatures in black and red ink have the look of being applied earlier today rather than 244 years ago. Our most recent offering of this type was another PMG 45 EPQ example that realized \$750 in July, 2020.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21501 Continental Currency February 26, 1777 \$4 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

A great looking AU, this piece has good color, exceptional print quality, and ample margins on both face and back. If a small signature annotation had not been written in a margin on the back, this pretty Continental likely would have received PMG's EPQ designation.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21502 Continental Currency February 26, 1777 \$30 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This denomination has two emblems on the back that add to its visual appeal. These notes are known as the Baltimore issue because they were authorized by the Continental Congress when they convened in Baltimore, because of the British occupation of Philadelphia. The notes may have been printed partially or completely in Philadelphia, as the Continental Congress was able to resume meeting there on March 4, 1777. This note has exactly what one would expect for a 63 EPQ example - strong signatures, perfect paper originality, and sharp print quality.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21503 Continental Currency April 11, 1778 \$7 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

PMG has graded only three higher and one equal of this note. Backlighting results in a few nicely closed pinholes revealing themselves.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21504 Continental Currency September 26, 1778 \$60 Contemporary Counterfeit PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A pleasing example of this widely counterfeited \$60 issue, this contemporary counterfeit was surprisingly good for the time and likely fooled a great many people.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$250**



**21505 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$1 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A denomination representing an issue that we have seldom have the opportunity to offer, the example in this lot is now the second highest graded to be consigned to our auctions.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21506 Blue Counterfeit Detector Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$3 PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A very nearly Uncirculated example, this piece was once part of the Midnight Ride Collection. Blue counterfeit detectors are seldom seen from the 1779 issue. We observe during our examination that the two-color face printing on the blue paper produces a very attractive piece. This particular counterfeit detector is marked in the signature block, "Bill for Proof," which was occasionally done to prevent the counterfeit detectors from being falsely signed and put into circulation.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21507 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$4 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A lovely black and red note with darkly inked signatures and serial number. In addition the note is nearly fully framed, without any repairs or meaningful impairments in a comment-free holder.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21508 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$35 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A lightly handled note, this is one of the nicest examples we have offered for the issue graded by PMG in some time. This \$35 is the first of the added odd denominations. A plow in the field with the motto HINC OPES (Hence our Wealth) is at the left, an emblem designed by Francis Hopkinson.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21509 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$50 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Right at the cusp of the full Gem grade. We have seen 65s from both services that lack the eye appeal and overall quality of this well printed, brilliantly colored example. An exceptionally nice note from the final Continental issue.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21510 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$70 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

Full margins and sharp corners are seen on this attractive and well signed piece. Mention of a previous mounting is made by PMG.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**21511 Continental Currency January 14, 1779 \$80 PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

Four full margins frame this attractive Continental. The red printed design elements stand out nicely against the attractive paper.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



## COLONIAL NOTES

### CONNECTICUT

**21512 Connecticut October 10, 1771 2s 6d PCGS About New 50PPQ.**  
A well printed note with strong penned signatures and decent margins, this type is seldom seen in high grade without cancellations. This, in fact, is the highest grade we have been able to offer for this issue in at least the last sixteen years

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

### DELAWARE

**21513 Delaware May 31, 1760 20s PMG Fine 12 Net.**  
This is a very rare two-color B. Franklin and D. Hall type, the last Delaware issue to bear that imprint. In fact, David Hall is one of the three signers on this piece. A truly condition-challenged series, as evidenced by this Fine 12 being Top Pop at PMG. There is only a single PMG Choice Fine 15 thirty shilling note that is finer for any of the four denominations from this issue. Net graded by PMG for restoration. The Newman note was a PCGS Apparent Fine 12 and sold for \$1,200. We have handled very few notes for this scarce and underrated type.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21514 Delaware January 1, 1776 5s-6s-4s-10s Uncut Sheet PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

Each note is fully signed with three dark signatures. The 5s note has a thick accumulation of blue threads running through the signatures. This is the first example of an Uncut Sheet of four notes from this issue to be consigned to our auctions.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21515 Delaware January 1, 1776 5s-6s-4s-10s Uncut Sheet PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

All four fully signed notes have three bold signatures. The only fold is just below the top edge.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21516 Delaware January 1, 1776 10s PMG Choice Uncirculated 64; Delaware January 1, 1776 5s PMG Choice About Unc 58; Connecticut June 1, 1775 40s PMG About Uncirculated 50, minor repairs.**

All of the black ink signatures are bold and the red ink signatures are strong on the 10s and 20s notes. The red ink signature of Thomas Collins on the 5s piece is certainly more than just readable, too. The minor repairs on the 40s example were skillfully executed.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

### GEORGIA



**21517 Georgia 1776 \$1/4 PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

One of the nicer examples of this scarce Georgia colonial that we have offered, this piece bears three bold signatures with just some minor restorations.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21518 Georgia 1776 \$4 PMG Very Fine 30.**

All of the signatures and the serial number were boldly penned on this note. Also, the Liberty Cap seal is an attractive dark blue color. The last example in a comment free PMG 30 holder to cross our auction block did so in September, 2020. It brought \$974 that night.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21519 Georgia 1777 \$5 PMG Fine 12.**

A repair has been noticed on this note by PMG. The well-defined Cannon seal at the lower right shows the motto ET DEUS OMNIPOTINCE.

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**21520 Georgia May 4, 1778 \$40 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

An appealing Georgia note, this example enjoys strong ink color and excellent signatures. The seal, which is often weak on this note, is particularly well executed. PMG has noted a minor restoration which is not readily discernible.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

### MARYLAND

**21521 Maryland June 28, 1780 \$3 PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.**

A fully signed and issued Uncirculated note. All Maryland guaranteed notes in the Uncirculated grades are scarce. The PMG holder bears the notation "Gift to D. H. Thomas by U. S. Historian, J. T. Scharf."

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## MASSACHUSETTS



### 21522 Massachusetts October 16, 1778 4d PMG Uncirculated 62.

From the second date and back style for the Revere "Codfish" bills, this note features the emblematic images of the codfish and pine tree: the mainstays of the Massachusetts economy. The October 16, 1778 notes used the Thomas Fleet back without imprint (as opposed to the 1776 Gill-printed backs). They are sometimes encountered in choice condition. This pence denomination from the issue is sharply printed for the type and has superior face-to-back registration. The *PMG Population Report* shows a single Choice CU 63 ahead of this satisfying note. Results from our recent Coltrane sales show great interest in these notes for type.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

### 21523 New Hampshire November 3, 1775 40s PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A genuine example of this denomination, this note is quite rare. The two highest denominations of this issue (30s and 40s) are much more common as counterfeits than as genuine examples. This piece has seen very little circulation and would grade higher, but for some tape repairs and tears that are mentioned by PMG on the label. New Hampshire notes are the rarest of the original thirteen colonies.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

## NEW JERSEY

### 21524 Wholly Original New Jersey Trio.

Each of the notes in this group is pleasingly original with nice paper and bold signatures.

December 31, 1763 12s PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ,  
March 25, 1776 18d PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ,  
and a March 25, 1776 12s PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$450**

### 21525 New Jersey March 25, 1776 £3 PCGS Choice New 63PPQ.

While the note is not going to get any points for centering and pristine evenly matched margins, it still presents a very striking appearance, being printed in red and royal blue with three boldly penned signatures. The back has a clearly defined nature (leaf) design with every vein clearly visible along with lots of embossing from the face design elements. A neat note!

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## NEW YORK

### 21526 A Pair of Fresh and Attractive Colonial Notes.

**New York January 6, 1776 (Water Works) 2s PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ**, well embossed with full signatures;  
and a **Rhode Island May 1786 9d PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**, well signed with four broad margins, are offered in this lot. The paper is fresh and attractive, with full embossing noted though the holder.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$150**



### 21527 New York March 5, 1776 \$1 PMG Choice About Unc 58.

A well printed and boldly signed New York colonial that does not show its minor handling through the third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## RHODE ISLAND

### 21528 Rhode Island May 1786 1s-2s6d-6d-9d Uncut Sheet PMG Uncirculated 61.

An Uncut Sheet of the four lowest denominations for this issue, therefore the backs are blank. This is only the second example of this sheet that we have offered since 2010. Signers are Job Comstock in red and S(amuel) Allen in black.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## SOUTH CAROLINA

### 21529 South Carolina December 23, 1776 \$6 Remainder PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

Four healthy margins frame this high grade Remainder. We have only offered one finer graded example from this entire issue. Attractive and scarce.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$150**

## OBSOLETES BY STATE

## ALABAMA



### 21530 Cahawba, AL- State of Alabama \$5 June 18, 1821 Cr. C26 Gunther & Derby AS-001-\$5i PMG Very Fine 20.

Authorized by an Act of December 15, 1820, notes like this \$5 were issued but soon traded at a discount because there was no accompanying revenue act to redeem them. The fact that they would be accepted for lot purchases and for the rent of public lands probably accounts for their rarity today. This piece is cut cancelled but is otherwise lovely and problem free for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$300**



**21531 Mobile, AL- Magnolia Association** 50 cents 1873 Rosene UNL Gunther & Derby AO321-.50a **Very Fine+**.

A very scarce note, this piece is from this turnpike company, which levied a toll on the Bay Shell Road. We sold a similar example five years ago which had some rust spots for \$446. This piece is nicer and flawless for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21532 Selma, AL- Alabama & Tennessee River R.R.** \$3 June, 1862 Rosene 290-6 Gunther & Derby AO412-\$3a **Very Good**.

Rarity-7 in the new Gunther & Derby Alabama reference, this is the first \$3 example from this issuer we have had to offer. Well circulated and with a couple of corners off, this note is still quite collectible.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21533 Wetumpka, AL- Wetumpka Insurance Company** \$1 May 1, 1862 Rosene 355-8 PMG **Choice Fine 15**.

A rare Civil War scrip note, examples of this type have seldom appeared in one of our auctions. This \$1 denomination is from a series that is much rarer than change denominations. It is an evenly circulated piece with solid paper for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

## LOUISIANA



**21534 Franklin, LA- William F. Haifleigh** 50¢ July 21, 1862 PMG **Choice Fine 15**.

William F(ranklin) Haifleigh (1820-1872) was a merchant who operated in St. Mary Parish in Louisiana. This is an evenly circulated note with just a few rust stains. A tough piece of scrip that has not been offered too often.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21535 Franklin, LA- Treasurer of the Parish of Saint Mary** 25¢ Aug. 13, 1862 PCGS **Banknote Choice Unc 64 PPQ**.

The highest third party graded example from this parish that we have ever offered, its closest competitor is a PCGS 53PPQ piece that crossed our auction block in May, 2017.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21536 St. Martinsville, LA- G. Webre & D.L. Broussard** \$3 July 7, 1862 PCGS **Banknote Fine 12**.

The first note that we had ever offered from this issuer was a 50¢ example in the earlier Signature section of this January, 2021 auction. However, the \$3 in this lot is the first dollar denominated note of Webre & Broussard to find us. There is a piece missing and edge damage.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## MARYLAND

**21537 (Unknown Location), MD - Potomack and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery** Ticket April, 1810, Two Consecutive Examples PMG **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

The Potomac(k) Company was chartered by the Assemblies of Maryland and Virginia in 1784, was organized in 1785, with George Washington as president, for the purpose of improving the navigation of the Potomac River by deepening the channel and cutting canals around the falls. Construction of these improvements progressed rapidly until 1802 when financial difficulties forced curtailments. From 1810 to 1818 the company conducted a lottery in an unsuccessful attempt to raise funds. The company remained in existence until 1828 when its property was transferred to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Co. Signed by Joseph Carleton, who was an officer and also Paymaster in the Continental Army. Both of these examples are well-printed Gems. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## NEW JERSEY



**21538 Camden, NJ- Farmers and Mechanics Bank** \$20-\$20-\$50-\$50 18\_\_ G12a-G12a-G14a-G14a **Uncut Proof Sheet PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ**.

The bank was incorporated in 1856 and remained in business until succeeded by the First National Bank of Camden in 1864. The \$20 notes feature the sailor vignette later used on CSA T14 \$50 treasury notes while the \$50s have a large vignette of the New Jersey coat of arms, including the figures of *Liberty* and *Prosperity*. The notes are printed on India paper with red denominational protectors. All have the usual small POCs in the signature lines. There were eight sheets of this layout and variety in the 1990 ABNCo Archives sale, with many, if not most, being subsequently cut to sell as single notes. Unlike many Proofs in the sale from this bank, this sheet has avoided nagging condition issues, with only a couple of tiny chips, far away from the notes, in the sheet selvage.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## NORTH CAROLINA

**21539 Washington, NC- Bank of Washington** \$50-\$100 18\_\_ G22-G26 **Uncut Sheet PMG Choice Uncirculated 64**.

The bank was incorporated in 1850 and remained in business, according to several sources, until 1862-64. These notes are relatively common in single note form, but are very scarce to rare in Uncut Sheet form.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## OHIO

21540 **Munroe Falls, OH- Munroe Falls Manufacturing Co. \$5-\$2-\$1-\$1 18\_\_ Uncut Sheet Wolka 1772-04 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
Available in individual note remainder form, the same can not be said for Uncut Sheets from this issuer. There are presently fewer than ten sheets known. PMG comments that the sheets are pen cancelled and have ink burn.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

## PENNSYLVANIA



21541 **Lancaster, PA- Lancaster Bank \$500 Mar. 18, 1851 G76a Hooper 186-51 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

Few issuers issued \$500 and \$1,000 notes in the field of Obsoletes. This pretty D note possesses white paper and neat penmanship. A minor repair and ink burn in the cashier's signature is listed on the back third party label. We have auctioned only one other \$500 from this bank. It was a raw VF with two cut out cancels that passed through our offices in January, 2002.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

21542 **Philadelphia, PA- Bank of Pennsylvania \$20 18\_\_ as G184 Proof PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

The bank was organized as one of the nation's first post-colonial era commercial banks in 1794 and remained in business until 1842 when it closed briefly, only to re-open a year later in 1843. The bank finally failed during the Panic of 1857. The \$20 layout includes a rendition of the Pennsylvania state seal, flanked by horses and the portraits of three prominent but now unknown gentlemen connected with either the state or the bank. A light rose TWENTY protector appears on the lower half of the note over the signature lines. The note is printed on India paper with numerous POCs in the President's signature line. This note was formerly part of the Western Reserve Historical Society holdings and is one of two presently known Proofs for this design.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



21543 **West Middlesex, PA- Millers & Miners Bank \$2 Jan. 10, 1866 G4a PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Page 2147 in the Haxby reference exhibits this \$2 example as the plate note for this rare bank. Only a \$1 and a \$5 from this bank have crossed our auction block before tonight. Millers & Miners Bank was open only during the year 1866. The Act of March 3, 1865 levied an annual tax of 10% on all state bank notes in circulation after July 1, 1866. This act likely led to the demise of this Mercer County bank. A previous mounting is mentioned by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

21544 **York, PA- York County Bank \$5 18\_\_ Remainder G6 Hooper 468-23 PMG Very Fine 25.**

The bank, previously known as the York Savings Institution, was in business from approximately 1850 until 1865 when it became the York County National Bank of York (Ch. 694). The note has vignettes of a farm couple taking a break at left, a farmer plowing with two horses chatting with a fellow farmer at center, and an oval portrait of William Penn at right. PMG indicates that the note has two rectangular cut outs in the signature lines.

**Starting Bid: \$150**

## TENNESSEE

21545 **Dandridge, TN- Dandridge Bank \$10-\$20 July 1, 1854 G8bP-G10bP Garland 282-284 Proof Pair PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ, POCs.**

A gorgeous two note Proof pair with a red overprint, this is the first time that we have auctioned a Proof of these two denominations either as a single Proof or as part of a two or four note Proof sheet from this bank. The 1990 ABNCo archives auction made only one example of this Proof pair available to the collector community and it was slightly soiled. That earlier sheet is not tonight's lovely 65 EPQ offering, as it possesses white paper and dark inks due to its careful preservation since each note received six POCs.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

21546 **Dandridge, TN- Dandridge Bank \$10-\$20 July 1, 1854 G8P-G10P Garland 281-283 Proof Pair PMG Choice Uncirculated 63, POCs.**

A nicely preserved black and white Proof pair, this set resides in a comment free holder. Only the margins keep this desirable example from a higher grade. This is our first offering of these two numbers as Proofs. The short-lived Dandridge Bank was the first bank to open in Jefferson County. Years of operation were 1854-60, with the first president being local merchant John Roper. The \$10 has eight POCs and the \$20 has nine POCs.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



## TEXAS



**21547 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$2 Apr. 1, 1841 Cr. A2 Medlar 22 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

Authorized by an Act of December 14, 1838, this example was part of an emission of \$1, \$2, and \$3 notes undoubtedly intended to ease a shortage of low denomination bills needed for day-to-day commerce. The \$2 depicts a cowboy on horseback roping a steer. PMG mentions the presence of the usual cut cancels on this note that is printed on particularly nice bright paper. A very nice piece of Texas history.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21548 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$2 Apr. 1, 1841 Cr. A2 Medlar 22 PMG About Uncirculated 55 Net.**

Authorized by the Act of December 14, 1838, these small denomination notes were issued in response to the need for smaller denominations in day to day commerce. This \$2 has a central vignette depicting a cowboy roping a steer. PMG has net graded this note for tape repairs of the cancellations on the back. Nonetheless, this is about as nice as these notes come and fits well into any Texas collection.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21549 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$3 June 1, 1841 Cr. A3 Medlar 23 PMG Very Fine 25.**

This was part of an emission of \$1s, \$2s, and \$3s authorized in 1838 to alleviate a shortage of low denomination notes for use in commerce. The \$3 features vignettes of a cotton plant at left and a vignette of, perhaps, *Agriculture* seated on bales at center. PMG mentions the usual cut cancels. There are two small spots, probably the result of mounting adhesive residue

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**21550 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas Government Bonds.**

\$100 Jan. 1, 1841 Cr. 40A Medlar UNL PMG Extremely Fine 40, CC;

\$500 Oct. 1, 1840 Cr. 40B Medlar UNL PMG Very Fine 30, CC.

Both examples have all of their ten coupons and each has been cut cancelled as usual. The \$100 is signed by David G(ouverneur) Burnet. He served as acting president of Texas during this time when President Lamar took a leave of absence in order to seek medical treatment in New Orleans for an intestinal disorder. It was previously mounted. The \$500 is signed by President Mirabeau B(uonaparte) Lamar. These bonds are often collected in order to acquire David G. Burnet's or Mirabeau B. Lamar's signatures.

*From the Randy Best Collection (Total: 2 items)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21551 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas Certificates of Stock.**

\$100 Sep. 1, 1840 Cr. 40E Medlar UNL PMG Very Fine 30 Net, CC;

\$500 June 15, 1840 Cr. 40F Medlar UNL PMG Extremely Fine 40 Net, CC.

Both of these examples were signed by Comptroller J.W. Simmons and Stock Commissioner Charles DeMorse. Each has its full complement of ten coupons attached. Each stock certificate and all coupons are cut cancelled as usual. Both the \$100 and \$500 have cancellation repairs which include pieces added. The piece added for the \$500 includes Simmons signature from another bond.

*From the Randy Best Collection (Total: 2 items)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21552 Austin, TX- Republic of Texas \$100 Jan. 1, 1840 Cr. A8 Medlar 28 PMG Very Fine 30 Net.**

The \$100 is a popular and scarcer denomination from the fifth series, emitted from Austin, engraved and printed by Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New Orleans with the added imprint Rawdon, Wright & Hatch, New York. This is an attractive, mid-grade example with a tape repair found on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21553 Bonham, TX- Fannin County Warrant \$1 July 17, 1863 Medlar UNL PMG Very Fine 20.**

Medlar lists only the 50¢ denomination for Fannin County. Only the third note from this issuer that we have auctioned, the piece in this lot is in a comment free holder and printed on the backs of notes on C.C. Alexander of Sherman, Texas. The Alexander designs on the back are unknown for issued notes.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21554 Columbus, TX- Treasurer of Colorado Co. \$10 Mar. 1862 Medlar UNL PMG Fine 12.**

This note is only the second note and the first \$10 from this issuer to be in our auctions. The other piece was a raw Fine \$2 from the William Bond Collection that realized \$1,150 in January, 2007. Medlar lists only the \$2 denomination. Rust is cited on the third party back label, confined mostly to the back of the note.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21555 Corpus Christi, TX- County of Nueces \$1 Feb. 18, 1863 Medlar 5 PMG Very Fine 20.**

This piece was part of the advanced William Bond Collection that we offered in January, 2007. We have auctioned only four different notes from this issuer, with the example in this lot being the only \$1 of this design. The \$1 on Nueces County has a Medlar rarity rating of R7, one to five known. This note has a previously mounted comment on the PMG back label. In actuality, a possible inventory sticker from long ago was removed from the back.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21556 Houston, TX- Government of Texas \$20 Feb. 1, 1839 Cr. H19 Medlar 63 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

An attractive note with *Minerva* standing at left holding a shield adorned with a six point star, and *America* or perhaps *Liberty* seated at right. PMG mentions that the note has the usual cut cancels plus a bit of ink erosion and a few pinholes.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21557 (San Antonio), TX- County Warrant \$100 July 25, 1854 Medlar UNL PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

The first of this type of audited claim warrant that both we and our consignor have ever seen, it is unlisted in the Medlar reference. It was good for payment of Bexar County taxes except for the special railroad tax and the state tax. It is printed on blue paper with three wide margins and endorsed on the back. Measurements are approximately 6 by 5.5 inches.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21558 Wharton, TX- Treasurer of Wharton County 50¢ Aug. 4, 1862 Medlar UNL PMG Very Good 10.**

This is the first note that we have offered from this issuer. It has a handwritten date. The Medlar reference does not list this denomination with a date executed in that manner.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

## VIRGINIA

**21559 Front Royal, VA- Bank of Manassa \$5 Mar. 15, 1859 G2a Jones-Littlefield BF40-05 PMG Very Fine 20.**

The Bank of Manassa operated under the state's free banking laws from 1853 until approximately 1862. An 1863 state report indicates that the bank was organized by out-of-state investors and had been virtually wound up by state authorities by 1863. The \$5 features a large vignette of a father teaching his daughter how to fish along with the Treasurer's die at right. The note has red-brown denominational counters, a large red-brown FIVE protector, and a panel composed of small red-brown FIVES. A pretty note with no repairs or significant impairments, this piece has a great story to tell.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21560 Harpers Ferry, VA- Farmers & Mechanics Bank of Harpers Ferry 12-1/2¢ Sep. 23, 1816 Jones-Littlefield UNL PMG Very Good 8.**

This was apparently an unchartered bank that was in business around 1815-1818. In 1818, the state ordered all unchartered banks to suspend operations and retire all of their circulation by August 31, 1818. The note is unlisted in both Haxby and Jones-Littlefield because it is datelined a year later than all listed fractional issues. This is only the second note we have offered from this unlisted emission. PMG notes pinholes (in addition to the obviously missing lower right corner and several small stains). On notes of this great rarity, such condition "trivialities" are almost always trumped by rarity. The only other fractional note from this 1816 emission, in marginally nicer condition, realized \$1265 a decade ago. This note is likely to test that level.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21561 Howardsville, VA- Bank of Howardsville \$8 Dec. 1, 1859 G6a Jones-Littlefield BH25-30 PMG Very Good 10.**

The bank was authorized to operate under Virginia's free banking law in 1856. It was listed in state reports as late as 1863 but is unlikely to have survived the aftermath of the Civil War. The note itself is interesting on two counts. First, the denomination was probably used as a means of making change in the absence of \$1 and \$2 notes that were not issued by the bank until after the start of the Civil War. Thus, a merchant could pay out an \$8 as change for a \$10 offered for a \$2 purchase. Secondly, the vignette on the right has been intentionally changed by the bank note company to change the race of the man from Caucasian to African American. A tear has even been added to the sleeve to highlight the dark skin color. The note itself also features the State Treasurer die at left, a portrait of President Fillmore at center. A large red EIGHT protector appears at center. While the note has seen some time in circulation, it has survived the experience without attracting any repairs or meaningful condition impairments. This wonderful note will take any collection fortunate enough to add it to the next level.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21562 Kanawha Salines (Malden), VA- Kanawha Salt Co. / Ruffner, Donnelly & Co. \$10 18\_\_ Remainder Jones-Littlefield PK10-04 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

This area of present day West Virginia was home to extensive salt mining activities, particularly during the first half of the 19th century. The company was in business under several names from the 1820s until at least the 1870s. This note's design suggests that it was in use during the 1830s and early 1840s. PMG notes only a missing upper left corner tip. This is only the second note from this issuer and is the first \$10 that we have offered in any of our public auctions. Very rare with Jones estimating a population of perhaps two to four survivors, this note appears to be the plate note from the Virginia catalog.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21563 Mountain Cove, VA- Uncertain Issuer 5¢-10¢-20¢ 18\_\_ Jones-Littlefield PM90-10- PM90-04- PM90-13 Uncut Sheet PMG Choice Fine 15.**

From issued notes, we know that this scrip was in use during the 1850s and was issued by at least two different persons; John D. Johnson and Robert T. Shannon. We have previously offered a single issued note, and believe that this is the first public appearance of an Uncut Sheet (although it is possible this is an uncut strip from a larger sheet). PMG notes a repaired tear in the 20¢ note.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



## CONFEDERATE NOTES

### 1861 ISSUES

**21564 Nelson County (Lovingston), VA- D.A. Witt (Sheriff) at Monticello Bank at Charlottesville 15¢ May 1, 1862 Jones Littlefield PN10-04 PMG Very Good 8.**

Dennit Abner Witt also issued notes that clearly identified him as sheriff in 1861. He is listed as such in the 1860 Federal Census. The 1870 census lists him as a farmer. The reason for this issue is somewhat unclear, but may simply indicate that he was using a bank to redeem the notes rather than his office, as was the case with the 1861 issue. The text on the right end of the note indicates that it was redeemable for state and county taxes due for 1862, suggesting this was an official county issue. Interestingly, the proviso that this note was to be redeemed in sums of \$5 or its multiple has been struck out. PMG notes a repaired horizontal fold split. Listed as R-7 in the Virginia catalog.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21565 Nelson County (Lovingston), VA- D.A. Witt (Sheriff) at Monticello Bank at Charlottesville 50¢ May 1, 1862 Jones Littlefield PN10-07 PMG Fine 12.**

This companion denomination to the previous 15¢ note was also issued by Dennit Abner Witt and was payable at the Monticello Bank. It was receivable for state and county taxes due for 1862 and was likely issued by Witt in his official capacity as Sheriff. The text specifying that the note was to be redeemed in sums of \$5 or its multiple is also struck out on this note. The note has a couple of splits, as noted by PMG, but is fully intact and a rare issue. In the field of obsolete paper money, rarity almost always trumps condition. This piece will be a nice addition to any Virginia collection.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21566 Richmond, VA- Farmers Bank of Virginia \$20 18\_\_ as G36 as Jones-Littlefield BR25-70 Proof PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The bank was authorized in 1812 and ultimately organized twelve locations. The bank continued in business into the Civil War, but failed by war's end. This attractive design includes a vignette of a young woman seated in a frame, a portrait of Washington, and a medallion-like cameo head at right. The note is printed on India paper with the usual POCs in the signature lines. This offering is the nicest example we have sold.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21567 Winchester, VA- Bank of the Valley in Virginia \$1-\$1-\$1-\$2 18\_\_ G4-G4-G4-G8 Uncut Sheet PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The bank was chartered in 1817 and remained in business, ultimately with six branches, until the bank failed during the aftermath of the Civil War; suspending in 1865. In 1866, principals of the old bank formed the Shenandoah Valley National Bank, using the old bank's building in Winchester. This sheet of notes was intended for branch use, with the location to be written in.

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**21568 T6 \$50 1861 PF-1 Cr. 6 PMG Very Fine 20 Net.**

This \$50, along with the T5 \$100 note, constituted the first order for Treasury Notes placed with the New Orleans office of the ABNCo after federal authorities raided the New York facilities of both ABNCo and National Bank Note Co., terminating production for the Confederacy by traditional northern sources. In order to mask the true identity of the company, an old name, Southern Bank Note Co. (SBNCo), was used by the New Orleans office. While quality was good, the response time was quite slow, forcing the CSA Department of Treasury to turn to lithographed designs from other sources such as Hoyer & Ludwig and Jules Manouvrier. SBNCo. finally produced 5,798 of this denomination as well as several other designs and denominations before New Orleans fell to Union forces at the end of April, 1862. This \$50 uses prewar vignettes of *Justice*, *Industry*, and *Commerce* as well as an oval portrait of Washington and includes a green FIFTY protector panel and two green L counters. The note has repaired POCs and has a number of paper thins and tape repairs. Still an attractive representative of this historic type.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21569 T7 \$100 1861 PF-4 Cr. 11 PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

The mythological mother and daughter *Ceres* and *Proserpina* fly through the air with agricultural tools and a brimming cornucopia on this scarce note. A framed oval portrait of Washington is at lower left. The third party grading service has mentioned a minor repair on the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21570 T13 \$100 1861 PMG Choice About Unc 58;**

**CT14 \$50 1861 Counterfeit PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ;**

**T18 \$20 1861 PMG About Uncirculated 50;**

**T30 \$10 1861 Very Good.**

PMG notated ink burn on the \$20 example.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 4 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$150**

**21571 T17 \$20 1861 PF-2 Cr. UNL PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.**

Only 43,732 examples of this design, printed by Hoyer & Ludwig, were issued between September 14 and November 5, 1861. An elaborate green tint was added as a counterfeit deterrent. This note has the so-called "long" variety (the green tint extends over *Liberty's* head at left.)

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21572 T19 \$20 1861 PF-1 Cr. 137 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A note printed by the Southern Bank Note Company (the nom de guerre of the New Orleans branch of the ABNCo), this is a bright and colorful example that has been hole cancelled.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21573 T31 \$5 1861 PF-1 Cr. 243 PMG Very Fine 20.**

58,860 notes of this design were issued between November 13, 1861 and May 15, 1862. It was printed by Southern Bank Note Co. (in actuality, the New Orleans Branch of ABNCo) as part of a four subject \$5-\$5-\$10-\$10 sheet, paired with two T22 \$10 notes. Production was abruptly stopped with the fall of New Orleans at the end of April, 1862. The note features all pre-war vignettes including the center vignette whose number of human figures intentionally ties to the denomination. The female figures represent, from left to right, *Commerce*, *Prosperity*, *Justice*, *Moneta*, and *Liberty*. While this note has seen some extended time in circulation, its orange-red protector panel and twin 5 protectors remain bright and unoxidized, an increasingly important characteristic as many of these elements have oxidized into a darker brown color which is not as desirable. A nice addition for many Confederate or ABNCo. collections.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21574 T31 \$5 1861 PF-1 Cr. 244 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A plate letter B note, this piece is an evenly circulated example with nice edges for the grade. Some minor staining has been noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21575 T32 \$5 1861 PF-2 Cr. 249 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

20,333 pieces of this note design were issued from only November 15, 1861 until December 30, 1861. They were printed utilizing a plate originally used before the war by the Mechanics Savings Bank of Savannah, GA that had been donated by the bank to the Department of the Treasury. The reason for such a short printing run remains unknown, although some sources suggest that a very worn plate may be the reason. PMG notes a stain in the lower right corner of this otherwise repair-free completely intact, evenly circulated example.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**21576 T33 \$5 1861 PF-19 Cr. 257b PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

This note is an attractive green and black design printed on paper water-marked FIVE. This variety has the Keatinge & Ball imprint visible, reading from bottom to top at left. The note is quite clean with no repairs or impairments.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21577 T36 \$5 1861 PF-4 Cr. 278 Shreveport Reissue PMG Very Fine 20.**

A common note as issued to be sure, but this example is made much rarer by the fact that it bears the Shreveport, LA reissue stamp dated Oct. 1, 1863. This is only the second T36 we have offered bearing this stamping. Two years ago, we sold an identically graded example for \$960.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

## 1862 ISSUES

**21578 T39 \$100 1862 Extremely Fine;**

**T41 \$100 1862 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Both of the examples have stamps on the back of the notes. Raleigh, NC is notated on the T39 and issued from Jackson, MS is notated on the T41.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

## 1864 ISSUES



**21579 T64 \$500 1864 PF-3 Cr. 489B PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

The \$500 denomination was reintroduced in 1864 due to rising inflation. It was, surprisingly, one of the few openly patriotic designs used, incorporating a portrait of the beloved General Stonewall Jackson, along with the Confederate Great Seal and national banner. General Jackson died from wounds several days after being hit by friendly fire at Chancellorsville in 1863. This note has a luxuriant deep red tint and will make a superior addition to the collection fortunate enough to add it.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21580 T64 \$500 1864 PF-3 Cr. 489B PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A dark red underprint graces this boldly embossed Stonewall Jackson \$500 that features original paper surfaces and deeply printed details.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21581 T65 \$100 1864 Two Examples About Uncirculated;**

**T66 \$50 1864 Extremely Fine;**

**T71 \$1 1864 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;**

**T72 50 Cents 1864 Very Fine.**

A varied selection of the 1864 issue of Confederate Currency is offered here. One of the T65 examples has been previously mounted with remnants of the adhesive remaining, as well as closed pinhole.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 5 notes)*

## CONFEDERATE BOND

**21582 Ball 157 Cr. 117 £200/5000 Francs/8000 lbs. Cotton 1863 Bond 36 Coupons Very Fine.**

An issued and uncanceled example, the usual four of forty coupons have been removed from the bond in this lot. The fabled Erlanger bonds are signed by banker Baron Emile Erlanger and Confederate diplomat John Slidell of *Trent Affair* fame. At bottom center is a blind embossed Confederate Treasury Seal and at upper right there is a blind embossed British 5 Shillings revenue imprint. In the 1960s, a relative of the Erlanger family burned the remaining bonds in the family's possession thinking that they were worthless paper, thus greatly enhancing the scarcity of the few survivors.

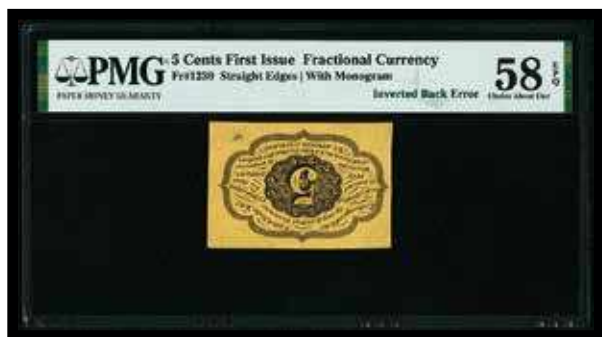
*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



## FRACTIONAL CURRENCY

### FIRST ISSUE



**21583 Fr. 1230 5¢ First Issue PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**  
An attractive error, this piece has no visible grade-limiting factors. The margins are sizeable, giving the note an overall Choice appearance.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21584 Fr. 1230 5¢ First Issue Uncut Sheet of Twenty PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**  
We first auctioned this Uncut Sheet when we offered the Tom O'Mara Collection in May, 2005. All of the notes are bright and the margins have been cut down to normal note size on this sheet. The grade tells us that this sheet may have circulated briefly as a very, very large one dollar note.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21585 Fr. 1230 5¢ First Issue Strip of Ten PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
We originally auctioned this strip of ten in May, 2005 before it was third party graded. This strip probably saw circulation as a 50¢ note. Each of the notes are bright, and several would grade XF or AU individually. It is a very unusual size block, being the full length of a sheet by two notes high.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21586 Fr. 1231SP 5¢ First Issue Wide Margin Pair PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
Wide margin pairs are really not that scarce, but extremely nice wide margin pairs, on the other hand, are very hard to come by. This is a lovely pair. The face note has also received the accolade "Vivid Details" from PMG. (Total: 2 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

### SECOND ISSUE

**21587 Fr. 1244 10¢ Second Issue Inverted Back Error PMG Very Fine 25.**  
The back engraved design on this note was printed upside down as compared to the face design, although the 10 bronze surcharge is correctly oriented. PMG notes discoloration which appears to be exposure to some type of chemical that has caused to part of the green back to become blue.  
*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21588 10¢ Second Issue Experimental Milton 2E10R.4c PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

But for the lack of the face engraving, this note is identical to a Fr. 1249 Regular Issue Fiber Paper Ten Cent note. About a half dozen examples are known of this extremely popular unpunched, unstencilled Experimental note. Milt Friedberg's identical example realized \$825 in 1997. Tom O'Mara's did about the same in 2005. This piece originally garnered more than \$800 in one of our 2014 Signature Auctions. We believe it to be an incredibly scarce and underrated Experimental. The comment of "as made green ink" on the back label is the pressed smearing along the bottom edge on the bronze oval side.  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21589 Fr. 1288 25¢ Second Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A beautiful example, this piece is well printed, very bright and extremely well margined. Fr. 1288 can be a very difficult note to locate for a collector who is fastidious about condition. This one should please the most conscientious. The "2" in the surcharge is well printed and completely clear. This digit is often defective and appears to be a "1". That gave rise to the infamous Friedberg 1287 listing...that note does not exist. This pretty note has also received the accolade "Great Bronzing" from PMG.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

### THIRD ISSUE

**21590 Fr. 1252 10¢ Third Issue PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**  
A vivid example of this much scarcer variety, this note features the plate position indicator "1" on the face, which only four of the 20 notes on a sheet could have. The back is blazing red and the bronzing is as bright as sunlight. We have historically sold examples at this grade level for around the \$1,000 mark. We have not sold a Superb Gem before, but if there was a note that plays the part, this is certainly it.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21591 Fr. 1254 10¢ Third Issue PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
In the upper echelon of this number graded by PMG, this beauty has bright paper and bronzing and a bold red back.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21592 Fr. 1274SP/1273SP 15¢ Third Issue Narrow Margin Pair PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 Net/PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**  
The Grant-Sherman face Fr. 1274SP is well printed and signed by Jeffries and Spinner. The Net grade is due to extremely minor ink burn in Spinner's signature. The back label of the face also states that this piece has the height margins of a Narrow (Specimen) and width margins of a Wide (Specimen). It is just a little larger than the Fr. 1273SP Specimen back in this lot. The back label of the Fr. 1273SP has lost some of its green shading. (Total: 2 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21593 Fr. 1298 25¢ Third Issue PMG Very Fine 25.**  
This note was in circulation for some time, but was apparently never noticed as an error by its early users. In this case, the engraved back design is inverted while the back bronze surcharges are correctly oriented.  
*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21594 Fr. 1324SP 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Wide Margin Face PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**

**Fr. 1324SP 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Wide Margin Red Back PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A fully wide pair of Third Issue Specimen on CSA watermarked paper, these feature the Spinner face and red back. The Red Back is alone as Top Pop at PMG. The Spinner face shows three 66 EPQ in the pop report. Essentially as nice a pair as one would be able to find. We did, in fact, sell a PMG Gem Unc 66 EPQ pair that realized over \$2,000 in our 2007 Central States sale. Your cataloger fondly remembers that evening, since all of the high-grade Fractionals then resulted in a lot of dough for one happy consignor. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21595 Fr. 1326 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

From the left side of the sheet, this well preserved Spinner has strong bronzing and four nice margins.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21596 Fr. 1327 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PCGS Banknote Gem Uncirculated 66 PPQ.**

A lovely note, with only a small handful of examples in higher grades, this example exhibits great color, golden bronze surcharges, and excellent margins and centering.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21597 Fr. 1327 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.**

Not a scarce number in absolute terms, this "a" on face red back Spinner is definitely quite tough in high Gem and Superb Gem grades. It displays great margins, flawless paper surfaces, and has beaming originality. Fr. 1327 is a scarce Friedberg number as only two examples with the plate position letter "a" were on each of the sheets of twelve.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21598 Fr. 1327 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Fr. 1327 is a scarcer Friedberg number as only two examples with the plate position letter "a" were on each of the sheets of twelve. PMG has graded just one example a single point finer than this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21599 Fr. 1328 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PCGS Banknote Gem Uncirculated 66 PPQ.**

A lovely note with great color, golden bronze surcharges, excellent centering and margins, and autographed signatures of Colby and Spinner.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21600 Fr. 1329 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Hand signed by Allison and Spinner, these are many times rarer than 1328's, with the Colby signature at the left. They have always been under-appreciated notes in our opinion, and this beauty, with its PMG double comment, "Exceptional Paper Quality, Great Embossing," should prove to be a hotly contested item.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21601 Fr. 1331 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A well-margined, fully original, and attractive example of this basic Spinner, green back number.

**Starting Bid: \$375**





**21602 Fr. 1332 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PCGS Banknote Gem UNC 65 PPQ.**

While this is the most common of the Spinner “1” and “a” notes, it is still a scarce variety that only had one representative on a complete sheet. Bright ink colors, wide margins, and dead-on centering give this note loads of visual impact.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21603 Fr. 1333 50¢ Third Issue Spinner PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Bright bronzing and four even margins make this Spinner an attractive note. It is tied for the finest graded by PMG for this number.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21604 Fr. 1339 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Type II PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A well centered example, this piece displays ideal inks. Wide margins and bright bronzing are seen on this Type II Spinner.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21605 Fr. 1340 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Type II PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A well printed and nicely margined example of this scarcer Fractional number, this piece is only one of twelve notes on a sheet would have both the “1” and “a” design figures on the face.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21606 Fr. 1341 50¢ Third Issue Spinner Type II PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.**

General Francis E. Spinner, the father of Postage and Fractional Currency, gazes out from this immaculate third issue 50¢ note with the 1 design figure in the face field. The bronze surcharges are still fresh and the note is fully framed on bright paper. The slightly tight right margin keeps this example from an even more lofty grade.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21607 Fr. 1357 50¢ Third Issue Justice Invert Back PCGS Banknote About Uncirculated 55 PPQ.**

A close inspection reveals that the back design is inverted while the 50 and the S-2-6-4 surcharges are correctly oriented versus the face design.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21608 Fr. 1357 50¢ Third Issue Justice Inverted Back Engraving PMG Very Fine 20 Net.**

A sharp eye was needed to see that the back engraving is inverted underneath the correctly printed surcharges and bronze “50.” A large internal split has been noted by PMG on this moderately circulated error note.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21609 Fr. 1362 50¢ Third Issue Justice PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A beautifully margined Green Back Justice, this piece displays clearly evident original embossing, excellent centering of both sides, and bright bronze. Very scarce at the Gem level.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21610 Fr. 1364 50¢ Third Issue Justice Inverted Back Surchage Error PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

The printed portions of this note’s design are correctly oriented to each other, but the bronze surcharges on the back are inverted.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21611 Fr. 1370 50¢ Third Issue Justice Inverted Back Error PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

While the surcharges are in the correct orientation to the face, the back engraved portions of the design are inverted. PMG notes some discoloration or toning which is of such a nature as to not prove to be too much of a distraction.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## FIFTH ISSUE

**21612 Fr. 1226 3¢ Uncut Vertical Strip of Three Third Issue About New;**

**Fr. 1255 10¢ Third Issue Choice New;**

**Fr. 1381 50¢ Fifth Issue Very Fine.**

The uncut Three Cent trio is the highlight of this lot.

*From the Western Gentleman’s Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

## ENCASED POSTAGE



### 21613 HB-50 EP-6 1¢ Joseph L. Bates Fancy Goods About New.

Bates is a little scarcer merchant with the One Cent issue being the only readily obtainable denomination. With that said, it has been four years since we last offered an example. This number has "Fancy Goods" corrected as two words. There is attractive iridescent toning of the back along with a couple of minor dark spots along the rim. The blue stamp possesses dark ink, while the intact mica has a couple of tiny surface abrasions. Joseph Bates stocked both European and American fancy goods. Some of his most in demand goods were stereoscopes and views. Mr. Bates improved the basic stereoscope of the period as he was awarded a patent in 1874. He passed away on March 2, 1886.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## MISCELLANEOUS

### 21614 *Heath's Infallible Counterfeit Detector At Sight Banking and Counting House Edition* Second Edition Laban Heath 1866/1867 Copyrights Patented July 12, 1867 Newman 2-BH-3.

This example sports the incorrect patent date of July 12, 1867 (correct patent date is July 2, 1867). Heath did not do a first edition of the Banking and Counting House Edition. This large format second edition has a dark brown cover with gold lettering. Importantly, all of the pages including the plates are present. The book is not graded, but there is scuffing of both covers and the spine. Plate 4 shows partial separation from the spine, while plate 9 is loose and tipped in. This looseness is understandable as the books were poorly sewn and bound during the manufacturing process. Overall, it is a nice example of this edition.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## MILITARY PAYMENT CERTIFICATES

### 21615 Military Payment Certificates Choice New or Better.

**Series 461 \$1 First Printing;**

**Two Series 481 5¢ First Printing/Third Printing;**

**Series 641 10¢ First Printing;**

**Series 661 25¢ First Printing.**

A very nice selection of military payment certificates, these notes will appeal to even the most discerning collector.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 5 notes)*



### 21616 Series 472 10¢ Replacement PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.

A dime replacement, this piece is from the 26th sheet position and also has a serial number that ends in "26." This is the highest grade we have been able to offer for a replacement from this series, denomination, and printing.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

### 21617 Series 591 \$5 PMG About Uncirculated 55.

A well margined example on all four sides, this \$5 is not only the key to Series 591, but also one of the keys for the entire field of regular issued MPCs. A little corner handling is observed through the third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### 21618 Series 641 \$1 First Printing Replacement PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.

PMG has graded only one example higher and none equal out of the seven first printing replacements for Series 641 \$1s that they have examined. This is a nicely preserved note from sheet position 45.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



## NATIONAL BANK NOTES

### ALABAMA

21619 **Atmore, AL** - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 631 **The First National Bank Ch. # 10697 PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.**

A very scarce south Alabama bank, this offering is one of just five large size reported. All known large grade Fine or below, making this piece typical in grade as well. PMG has chosen to net grade this note, but the rust here consists of about two flecks on the reverse which are quite trivial in nature.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

21620 **Gadsden, AL** - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 **The First National Bank Ch. # 13728 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

This is Gadsden's one truly rare bank, with just five notes in the census, including this piece which is the only note from this charter to cross the public auction block in over eight years. It is a bright and crisp example with just a few light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

21621 **Montgomery, AL** - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 549 **The First National Bank Ch. # (S)1814 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very scarce type from this otherwise available capital city bank, this note is one of only three 1882 Date Backs of any denomination extant from this charter. Bold color and signatures are seen on this example that has some very minor staining in the bottom margin.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

### ARKANSAS

21622 **Gentry, AR** - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 **The First National Bank Ch. # (S)12340 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20 Details.**

Not a thing of beauty, but this is just the fourth large size note to be reported from this just plain rare Benton County bank. With just \$290 outstanding at the bank's closure in 1934, the population is not likely to see much more of an increase in the future. This offering is missing some pieces off its right end, but remains bright and clear.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

21623 **Gentry, AR** - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 **The First National Bank Ch. # 12340 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A lovely note, this is the only Type 2 example recorded from this rural Arkansas bank, hardly a surprise considering that the bank issued only a relative handful of Type 2 examples before going under in June of 1934. It's a high grade piece listed in the census as Uncirculated, which it is not, but it certainly is flawless for its PMG assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

### Serial Number 1 Lake Village Small Size



21624 **Lake Village, AR** - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 **The First National Bank Ch. # 13632 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A delightful serial number 1 note from this late chartering Lake Village bank, this piece displays only a slight trace of handling. As a bonus, the position of the serial numbers indicates that this note is from a replacement sheet.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



21625 **Rogers, AR** - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 **The First National Bank Ch. # (S)7789 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 30.**

A most attractive large size note from this Benton County bank, most of its known survivors are rather low grade. This is a bright, well inked \$20 with nice color and bold purple stamped signatures. Its only detracting factor is a top margin that is cut a bit close.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

21626 **Stuttgart, AR** - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 630 **The First National Bank Ch. # (S)10459 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

A scarce note from this Arkansas bank, this piece is one of only six large reported (along with an Uncut Sheet). It exhibits even wear and nice color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

21627 **Wynne, AR** - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 **The First National Bank Ch. # 10807 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.**

Although chartered in 1915, this bank, the sole issuer in this tiny Cross County hamlet, elected to issue only Series 1929 examples. To date, just three examples have been reported from here, including this offering, which is making its first public appearance since a 2012 auction. It is an evenly circulated piece with some minor residue noted by the grading service.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## CALIFORNIA

**21628 Del Rey, CA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 632 The First National Bank Ch. # 11041 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A better Fresno County note from the only bank here to issue. For whatever reason, most surviving notes from here are rather circulated, including this example which is housed in a comment free holder.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21629 Lodi, CA - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 642 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)7719 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Large size only from this issuer, the institution was only in business from 1905 until 1925. Most of the known survivors are in rather well circulated condition. This \$20 is rather typical of the known population, but it does have decent color and signatures with just a couple of minor repairs seen on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21630 Petaluma, CA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 601 The Sonoma County National Bank Ch. # 9918 PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**

A lovely note from this avidly collected location, this example is one of the finer pieces listed in the census. It is a bright and original \$5 with just minor handling.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21631 San Francisco, CA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 477 The Western National Bank Ch. # 5688 PMG Very Fine 25 Net.**

A nice \$5 Brown Back, this example hails from a tougher San Francisco bank which issued Brown Backs and Date Backs only before liquidating in 1910. This note displays excellent color for the grade along with some repairs noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21632 San Francisco, CA - \$100 1902 Date Back Fr. 691 The Anglo & London Paris National Bank Ch. # (P)9174 PMG Very Fine 25.**

The ninth \$100 Date Back to be reported from this famous San Francisco bank, this piece bears its grandiose second title. It is a decent mid-grade note that shows problem free wear and legible stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**21633 Woodland, CA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 600 The First National Bank of Woodland Ch. # (P)9493 PMG Very Good 10.**

A very scarce Yolo County bank, this institution issued large notes only. This well circulated but intact \$5 is one of just thirteen pieces recorded in the latest census.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## CONNECTICUT

**21634 Hartford, CT - \$1 1875 Fr. 384 The National Exchange Bank Ch. # 361 PMG Very Fine 25.**

An attractive mid-grade ace from this large only capital city bank, this note exhibits nice color and problem-free wear.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21635 Hartford, CT - \$1 Original Fr. 380b The Hartford National Bank Ch. # 1338 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A bright for the grade example of this scarcer Hartford type, this piece is new to census and finer than any ace currently reported. It is exceptionally well margined for a New England ace and shows even wear and very nice color.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21636 New Haven, CT - \$20 1902 Red Seal Fr. 639 The National Tradesmen's Bank Ch. # (N)1202 PMG Very Fine 20.**

Not a scarce New Haven bank, but this is just the second Red Seal to be reported from this charter and the first \$20. It exhibits sharp ink colors and dark printed signatures, but does have some rust stains.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21637 Willimantic, CT - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The Windham National Bank Ch. # 1614 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A high grade small size example from this Windham County bank, this piece is the finest 1929 Series note from here to ever appear in one of our auctions. Last on the market in a 2007 sale, it features crackling fresh paper and embossing.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## DELAWARE



**21638 Delaware City, DE - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The Delaware City National Bank Ch. # (E)1332 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.**

This evenly circulated note enjoys clean, problem-free surfaces, and legible printed officers' signatures. Delaware is one of those states where collectors far outnumber the available material, especially when it comes to large size nationals.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21639 Middletown, DE - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The Citizens National Bank Ch. # (E)1181 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.**

A new addition to the census of this scarce, large-only Middletown bank that has fewer than a dozen pieces reported, this evenly circulated and solid Date Back is the first note we have able to offer from this charter since 1994.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21640 Wilmington, DE - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The National Bank of Delaware Ch. # 1420 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25 PPQ.**

This Wilmington \$5 Plain Back comes from a state that never seems to have quite enough large notes available to satisfy collector demand. A new addition to the census, this pleasing mid-grade example displays even wear and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



## FLORIDA

**21641 Bradenton, FL - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 10245 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A pleasing, moderately circulated example, this piece comes from the only note issuing bank in this Manatee County locale.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21642 Marianna, FL - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 608 The First National Bank Ch. # 6110 PMG Very Good 10 Net.**

A scarce note, this piece is from the only bank to issue in this small panhandle community which has only nine large size listed in the census, including this example. While it has seen its share of circulation and has acquired some splits and a few tiny rust flecks, it maintains a pleasing appearance for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21643 Ocala, FL - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 657 The Munroe & Chambliss National Bank Ch. # (S)10578 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A scarce bank in large, the census shows only about a dozen examples from here, including tonight's offering. Representing one of a very few private name banks from Florida, decent color is found on this \$20 Plain Back that has had a minor repair.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21644 Ocala, FL - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The Munroe & Chambliss National Bank Ch. # 10578 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A well margined and evenly circulated example, this offering hails from this always in demand private name bank.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21645 Pensacola, FL - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 620 The Citizens & Peoples National Bank Ch. # (S)9007 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A nice evenly circulated large size note from Pensacola bank, the note features jet black signatures, good color, and plenty of eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21646 Saint Augustine, FL - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 606 The St. Augustine National Bank Ch. # (S)11420 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A dozen and a half large examples have been reported from this St. Augustine bank, but a substantial number of those pieces are quite low grade. This note is a happy exception, despite a totally inconspicuous repair which can be seen only when the note is candled and carefully examined.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## GEORGIA

**21647 Macon, GA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The Commercial National Bank Ch. # (S)9212 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very tough Macon bank, this institution was only in business from 1908 until 1914. This offering is one of just seven survivors reported from this bank, and more importantly, is the first example from this charter to cross the public auction block since 2005. It is very attractive for the grade with excellent color and dark printed signatures. PMG mentions a minor repair but nothing is readily apparent.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## ILLINOIS

**21648 Chicago, IL - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The Bowmanville National Bank Ch. # 10237 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A pleasing, mid-grade example from this scarce Chicago neighborhood bank, the note made its last public appearance in our 1998 FUN auction. It displays even wear as well as staining and a neat serial number of 100.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21649 Galena, IL - \$5 1875 Fr. 401 The Merchants National Bank Ch. # 979 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

This note comes from a small hoard of \$5 1875 examples from this bank which has long been absorbed into the marketplace. All have historically been graded as Uncirculated or About Uncirculated depending on the example and the predilection of the cataloguer. PMG has taken the conservative approach here, likely due to the fact that this note has had a minor repair.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21650 Kansas, IL - \$1 Original Fr. 382 The First National Bank Ch. # 2011 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

A lightly circulated example of this hoard note, this piece sports a popular "two-state" name. While PMG has mentioned some light staining, this ace also displays great color and dark pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## INDIANA

**21651 Aurora, IN - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 494 The First National Bank Ch. # 699 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An evenly circulated and solidly margined \$20 Brown Back, this Dearborn County bank has attractive color and legible signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21652 Lynnville, IN - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 600 The Lynnville National Bank Ch. # 8868 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An extremely rare bank in large size, with the census showing only three notes, this piece is a new addition to that small group. It is an evenly circulated and solid note with pleasing color.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

## IOWA



**21653 Cedar Rapids, IA - \$100 1902 Plain Back Fr. 705 The Merchants National Bank Ch. # (M)2511 PMG Very Fine 30.**

Only about forty 1902 \$100 Plain Backs are known from all Iowa banks combined. This newly surfaced example exhibits just even, problem-free wear.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21654 Henderson, IA - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The Farmers National Bank Ch. # 7382 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A scarce Iowa bank, this institution was the only issuer in this Mills County community. It issued Type Ones only in small size since it was closed by the receiver in July 1933. One of a dozen notes in the census, this \$10 is attractive for the grade with just PMG adding its cryptic comment thinning to its holder.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## KANSAS

**21655 Fort Scott, KS - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 480 The Citizens National Bank Ch. # 3175 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A scarce early note, this is the finest of just three Brown Backs of all denominations reported from this Fort Scott issuer. Last on the market in a 1998 auction, this pen-signed \$10 is a nicely margined and well inked piece that just has a stain, primarily seen on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21656 Topeka, KS - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 470 The Merchants National Bank Ch. # (W)3909 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A most attractive \$5 Brown Back, this example has a distinctive "cigar box label" title layout and tons of eye appeal. Four wide and balanced margins surround this lightly circulated note that has fresh ink colors and clear stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## KENTUCKY

**21657 Barbourville, KY - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Union National Bank Ch. # 13906 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A pleasing high grade example from this tougher Barbourville bank, the note is tied for the finest of the dozen or so pieces reported from here. It is well embossed and nicely margined

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21658 Latonia, KY - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 6248 PMG Very Fine 25.**

This newly discovered note is the twelfth small size and just the third Type 2 of any denomination to be reported for this scarce Kenton County bank. It is a bright, moderately circulated \$10 with just a small tear in the top margin.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21659 Salyersville, KY - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The Salyersville National Bank Ch. # 8905 PCGS Banknote Fine 12 Details.**

A scarcer Kentucky note from this town's sole issuer, it is the only 1929 Series example from this scarce charter to cross the auction block since 2006. The census from this bank stands at just five small (and five large) notes, including this moderately circulated \$10 that just has a small edge split.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## MAINE

**21660 Camden, ME - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 487 The Camden National Bank Ch. # (N)2311 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A pleasingly evenly circulated example, this note was first offered by Heritage in our January 1994 Orlando Auction. It is one of only three Brown Backs known from this institution, with the only other \$10 Brown Back, which grades Very Fine, realizing \$2990 in its last offering in 2008. This pen signed note features excellent color and eye appeal for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## MARYLAND

### Baltimore, MD Serial Number 1 Small Size



**21661 Baltimore, MD - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 National Central Bank Ch. # 11207 PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

Although chartered in 1918, this institution elected not to issue any large size notes. It delayed its initial issue of Series 1929 examples until 1931. The institution was a conversion of the state chartered German Bank of Baltimore City, not a title that was widely admired in the United States that year, and the bank retained a substantial German influence throughout the note issuing period, with W.E. Katenkamp signing as President and Harry H. Hahn as Cashier. Mr. Hahn's career in the banking trade would end decidedly unsuccessfully when he pled guilty to "misapprehension of bank funds" in 1935. This is the second serial number 1 sold by us. The other was a \$10 note, grading PMG AU 58, that sold for \$3,120 as part of our Marc Watts collection.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21662 Bel Air, MD - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 13680 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A scarce late-chartering Harford County institution that issued small size only after opening in 1933, this bright and crisp \$10 is one of just ten pieces reported from here. The note made its last public appearance in a 2000 auction.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## MASSACHUSETTS

**21663 Abington, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The Abington National Bank Ch. # 1386 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A second new entrant to the census for this scarce Abington bank, this one is also a \$5 with just a bit more circulation and some staining on the back.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21664 Abington, MA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Abington National Bank Ch. # 1386 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

From a very scarce Plymouth County bank, we are pleased to offer two new additions to the census of just five small size reported from this charter that chose to issue only \$5s for the 1929 Series. This example exhibits even wear and solid margins.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21665 Boston, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 606 The Mattapan National Bank Ch. # (N)11137 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A tougher Suffolk County bank, this institution served the public only from 1918-24. This example sports blue rubber stamped signatures of Cashier P.H. Ropes and President W.R. Landers. Landers was the only president of this charter number.

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**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21666 Brockton, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 607 The Brockton National Bank Ch. # 2504 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A new note for the census, this piece is from this scarce bank that elected to issue only large size notes. Printed officer signatures are of Cashier Geo. A. Barrett and President C(larence) R. Fillebrown. Their terms coincided during the years of 1921-25. Minor black ink on the back is from the printing of the officers' signatures.

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**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21667 Canton, MA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The Neponset National Bank Ch. # (N)663 PMG Very Fine 25.**

An evenly circulated Third Charter note from this scarce large only Norfolk County bank, this is the first \$10 Date Back to be reported. It has solid paper for the grade with just a small ink stain in the top margin.

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**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21668 Dedham, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380 The Dedham National Bank Ch. # 669 PMG Fine 12.**

A scarce Norfolk County bank, this institution issued large size only before closing its doors in 1924 and being succeeded by Charter 12567. This note is one of a handful of Original Series ones reported. It is an evenly circulated piece with ample margins all around.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21669 Dedham, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 The Dedham National Bank Ch. # 12567 PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.**

A very scarce Norfolk County bank, this example just the seventh large size to be reported from here. It exhibits sharp ink colors and original paper surfaces.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21670 Dorchester, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Fine 12.**

A very scarce note from this well collected Boston area community, the design elements and color remain quite bold on this circulated 1875 ace that has the typical New England trim.

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**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21671 Dorchester, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Good 8.**

The president's signature is that of A(saph) Churchill. The cashier's signature shows a degree of fading, but Mr. Churchill served with only one cashier, Eleazar A. Bispham. An approximate one inch right edge tear is observed.

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**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21672 Milton, MA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A pleasing mid-grade example of this Suffolk County bank's second title, this piece is crossing the auction block for the first time.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21673 Milton, MA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # (N)684 PMG Fine 12.**

Another Third Charter Plain Back bearing this Boston area bank's scarcer second title, this one is a \$20 displaying just plenty of honest wear. It's the only example of this type and denomination in the census for this charter.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21674 Milton, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 25.**

An attractive mid-grade example of this Suffolk County bank's scarcer second title, this piece exhibits even wear and nice color.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21675 Milton, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The Blue Hill National Bank Ch. # 684 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A new addition to the census for this Suffolk County bank's scarcer second title, this \$5 shows just even wear along with dark printed signatures.

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**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21676 Natick, MA - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 594 The Natick National Bank Ch. # (N)2107 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A new addition to the census for this scarce large-only Middlesex County that has less than a dozen notes reported, this Date Back displays attractive color and dark printed signatures.

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**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21677 Natick, MA - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 646 The Natick National Bank Ch. # (N)2107 PMG Very Fine 20.**

The only \$20 Date Back reported from this scarce large-only Middlesex County bank, it is a moderately circulated example displaying just even wear.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21678 Plymouth, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Old Colony National Bank Ch. # 996 PMG Very Fine 25.**

One of a mere nine Brown Backs enumerated in Track & Price, this \$5 is pen signed by Cashier George L. Gooding and President C(harles) G. Hathaway. They served together during the years of 1901-13. Gooding would go on to serve as president from 1914 until 1933.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21679 Plymouth, MA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 480 The Old Colony National Bank Ch. # (N)996 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A classic name appears on this wonderful historically titled institution. This example is a bright \$10 Brown Back that retains some original embossing along with lovely pen signatures.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21680 Quincy, MA - \$1 Original Fr. 380b The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Very Good 10.**

A scarce early note from this Boston area bank, this is a new addition to the census. It is rather well circulated but still possesses pleasing color and bold pen signatures.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21681 Quincy, MA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Fine 12.**

A scarce early note from this Boston area bank that, while it is one of four \$5 Brown Backs in the census, it is also the first of that quartet to cross the auction block in over 20 years. Displaying just honest wear, it has pleasing color and an appealing bank title layout.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21682 Quincy, MA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 480 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # (N)517 PMG Very Fine 20.**

This example increases the population figure for Brown Backs from this charter number to nine. However before tonight, only four different Brown Backs had appeared at auction in the last 24 years from charter number 517. Printed signatures have been placed neatly on the signature lines. Cashier Horace F. Spear and President Chas. A. Howland served together in those two capacities from 1893 to 1907.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21683 Quincy, MA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

A bright and original Third Charter note from this Boston area bank, this offering has vibrant color, bold engraved signatures, and just a few light folds.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21684 Quincy, MA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 The National Mount Wollaston Bank Ch. # 517 PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

One of the nicer examples reported from this Norfolk County bank, this \$20 displays bright, original paper surfaces with only light handling seen.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21685 South Weymouth, MA - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 590 The First National Bank Ch. # (N)618 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

From an elusive bank, this \$5 becomes only the twelfth example to be included in the Track & Price Census. It is in a comment free holder with printed signatures of Cashier J(ohn) H. Stetson and E(dward) B. Nevin.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21686 South Weymouth, MA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The First National Bank Ch. # (N)618 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A moderately circulated and solid note from this scarce Suffolk County bank, while long recorded in the census, it has never crossed the auction block before.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21687 Springfield, MA - \$5 1902 Red Seal Fr. 587 The Third National Bank Ch. # (N)308 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A very pretty Red Seal from this Springfield bank, this piece has bright paper, wonderful contrasting colors, and full original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**21688 Watertown, MA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 655 The Union Market National Bank Ch. # 2108 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An elusive Middlesex County bank in large size, this is especially so with Series 1902 examples as there are only ten pieces in the census. This evenly circulated example is only the third \$20 Plain Back to be reported.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21689 Weymouth, MA - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The Union National Bank Ch. # 510 PMG Fine 12.**

An evenly circulated 1875 ace from this scarce Norfolk County bank, this piece has been off the market since a 2003 Stacks sale. It has solid paper for the grade and displays a wide swath of blue end paper.

*From the Tom Denly Collection of Massachusetts National Bank Notes*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

## MICHIGAN

**21690 Sault Ste Marie, MI - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 3547 Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**

Fresh and attractive, this note has especially bright paper.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

## MISSISSIPPI

**21691 Hattiesburg, MS - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 546 The First National Bank of Commerce Ch. # (S)5176 PMG Very Fine 20 EPQ.**

A scarce Mississippi type with only fifteen \$10 Second Charter Date Backs listed in the latest National Currency Foundation census for the entire state. This example retains original surfaces with nice color and signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



## MISSOURI

**21692 Albany, MO - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # 7205 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Although well circulated, this is the only large note we have been able to offer from this scarce Gentry County bank since our inaugural auction back in 1990. It is one of just nine large size reported in the latest census.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21693 Boonville, MO - \$10 Original Fr. 412a The Central National Bank Ch. # 1584 PMG Fine 12.**

A very scarce type and denomination for the Show Me State, there are barely a dozen reported \$10 Originals for the entire state, eight of which come from this Boonville bank. Interestingly, all are quite well circulated, with grades ranging only from Very Good to Fine, suggesting that most if not all came from a common source, likely a cash hoard. This is a well circulated yet problem free example with nice color for the grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21694 Cabool, MO - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 605 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)8877 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A very scarce one-bank community where the sole issuer issued large notes only is represented in this lot. Just nine notes comprise the entire census, including this piece which exhibits even, problem-free wear and attractive signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21695 Columbia, MO - \$1 1875 Fr. 385 The Exchange National Bank Ch. # 1467 PMG Very Good 8.**

A scarce early note from this otherwise available Boone County bank, pioneer Nationals specialist John Hickman would have described this note as "90% Very Good." It has nice color and signature for the grade but this 1875 ace is missing its bottom left corner.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21696 Columbia, MO - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 471 The Boone County National Bank Ch. # 1770 PMG Fine 12.**

A note too common type from this Columbia bank, this evenly circulated and solid example is one of six \$5 Brown Backs reported to date from this charter.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21697 Columbia, MO - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 484 The Boone County National Bank Ch. # (M)1770 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

The only \$10 Brown Back in the census from this Columbia bank, this evenly circulated note has solid margins and pleasing color.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21698 Green City, MO - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The City National Bank Ch. # (M)9029 PMG Fine 12.**

This just plain rare Green City bank issued large notes only. The City NB is considerably the scarcer of this community's two banks, with Track & Price showing only six notes reported, just two of which have crossed the public auction block in the past 15 years. This is one of that half dozen, and while it is rather stained, the officers' signatures remain clear.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21699 King City, MO - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 471 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)4373 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A nice \$5 Brown Back from this popular hoard bank, this piece has flashy ink colors and just some light folds.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21700 King City, MO - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 484 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)4373 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

An attractive Brown Back, this offering is from a small hoard that has supplied collectors with lovely examples from this bank for two generations. Great color and signatures are found on this pretty \$10 that retains original surfaces.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21701 King City, MO - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 484 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)4373 PMG Very Fine 25.**

Another attractive \$10 Brown Back from this Gentry County bank, this one has just a touch more circulation than the previous lot. An annotation is mentioned for minor ink writing on the back.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21702 King City, MO - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 619 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)4373 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

From a bank primarily known for a hoard of \$5 Brown Backs, this Third Charter Date Back is a lovely pen-signed beauty that features bright paper, a bold overprint, and ample margins all around.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21703 Ludlow, MO - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 7900 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A very scarce Livingston County bank with just six small size in the census, only two of which have ever been publicly offered, this pleasing mid-grade \$20 is one of that pair and displays just even wear.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21704 Memphis, MO - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The Scotland County National Bank Ch. # 2432 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A very scarce small note, this piece is from the only bank here to issue. Based upon the skewed position of its serial numbers, this evenly circulated \$20 is also from a BEP-issued replacement sheet.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21705 Mexico, MO - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # 2881 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A moderately circulated and problem-free \$10 Plain Back from this popular "two state" town, this piece is crossing the auction block for the first time. It features even wear and bold signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$600**



**21706 Mexico, MO - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 The First National Bank Ch. # 2881 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A bright and crisp large size note from this Audrain County bank, this offering bears one of the popular "misplaced" town names to be found on Nationals. This \$20 is listed in the census, but is crossing the auction block for the first time. Its only detracting factor is a small black ink stain on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21707 Mexico, MO - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 The First National Bank Ch. # 2881 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A crisp mid-grade large size note from this always in demand location, this one is a \$20 Plain Back that exhibits even wear but does have some staining.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21708 Mexico, MO - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 2881 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The only CU example that we have ever offered from this popular Missouri bank, this small size \$10 is a bright, well margined note that has a couple of small edge tears.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21709 Palmyra, MO - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)2979 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Palmyra is the county seat of Marion County, and is located in the northeast part of the state near Hannibal. It was the site of the infamous "Palmyra Massacre," when, in 1862, 10 imprisoned Confederates were executed by Union troops after the seizure and murder of a pro-Union activist from Marion County several days before by Confederate irregulars. This is one of only nine pieces in the census from this large only bank that operated from 1883 until 1924. It is crossing the auction block for the first time, exhibiting even wear and dark signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21710 Paris, MO - \$1 1875 Fr. 384 The First National Bank Ch. # 1803 PMG Very Good 8.**

First Charters only from this Paris bank, the first of three to issue in this small county seat community. The latest census shows just six examples, five \$1 notes and a single \$5, with only one ace grading as high as Fine. Most have been closely held for years, as evidenced by this example that is making its first public appearance since a 1980 Hickman-Oakes sale. It is a well circulated note with a small tape repaired tear.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21711 Paris, MO - \$10 1882 Value Back Fr. 577 The Paris National Bank Ch. # (M)5794 PMG Very Fine 30.**

An attractive example of a better type and denomination from this Paris bank, this \$10 Value Back exhibits bright paper, ample margins, bold stamped signatures, and pleasing overall eye appeal. A couple of minor rust stains on the back do not detract at all.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21712 Paris, MO - \$20 1882 Value Back Fr. 581 The Paris National Bank Ch. # (M)5794 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

Another pretty Value Back from this Paris bank, the offered \$20 note is even nicer than the \$10 in the previous lot. It is well margined all around and has exceptional ink colors and fully original paper surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21713 Saint Louis, MO - \$1 Original Fr. 380b The St. Louis National Bank Ch. # 1112 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A scarcer St. Louis bank, this institution issued First Charters and Brown Backs only. This note is a pleasing, evenly circulated Original Series ace that has sustained just honest wear.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21714 Saint Louis, MO - \$1 Original Fr. 380a The National Bank of the State of Missouri Ch. # 1665 PMG Very Good 10.**

A short lived bank, this institution issued Original Series notes only before the receiver arrived to close its doors forever in 1877. This is a well circulated but intact Original Series ace with good remaining color and signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21715 Saint Louis, MO - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 471 The Continental National Bank Ch. # 4048 PMG Very Fine 25.**

Brown Backs only from this tougher St. Louis bank, only fives, fifties, and hundreds were issued. This bright, well-margined, and boldly signed example exhibits only even wear. It also bears an appealing "Cigar Box" style bank title layout, a design usually found only on \$5 Brown Backs.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21716 Seymour, MO - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 653 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # (M)9932 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A very scarce Webster County bank with just six large (and four small) in the latest census, this evenly circulated and problem free \$20 is one of those six notes. It is also the first large note we have been able to offer from this charter in 30 years.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## MONTANA

**21717 Wolf Point, MT - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 11036 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

This bright and original note represents a scarcer type and denomination for this always-in-demand Montana bank. It is one of just two Type 2 \$10s reported and easily the finer of the pair. We sold the other known Type 2 \$10, a PMG Very Fine 25 note with a few pinholes, for \$780 in last year's FUN auction.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



## NEBRASKA

**21718 Wood River, NE - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)3939 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

One of the classic hoard notes, over 200 examples are known in large. Today's collectors are indebted to the foresight of a previous generation that saved high grade examples of banks such as this one to provide relatively affordable notes with such overall aesthetic appeal. The embossing and originality are simply superb.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21719 Wood River, NE - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)3939 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Fully Uncirculated, this worthy offering features bright and attractive paper, adorned with a deep blue overprint.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21720 Wood River, NE - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 644 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)3939 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A beautiful \$20, this piece features rubber stamped, purple signatures of H.S. Eaton and F.E. Slusser. The attractive back exhibits bold embossing. Only its margins prevent assigning a full Gem grade to this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

**21721 East Jaffrey, NH - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Monadnock National Bank Ch. # 1242 PMG Fine 12.**

A newly discovered piece, this is the first serial number 1 note documented from this charter number. This serial 1 example is here today because somebody removed it from circulation and it became a cherished wallet piece. This action produced splits and staining.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21722 Newport, NH - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 494 The First National Bank Ch. # 888 PCGS Banknote Choice VF 35.**

An exceptionally bright \$20 Brown Back with great pen signatures, this piece appears new until closely examined. In fact, it is listed in the Track & Price census as Choice CU.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## NEW JERSEY

**21723 Rahway, NJ - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 633 The Rahway National Bank Ch. # 5260 PCGS Banknote Choice VF 35.**

Not a particularly scarce Union County bank, but this is the first large size we have been able to offer from this charter in over 20 years. It is one of the finest known survivors and features bright, white paper and dark printed signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

## NEW YORK

**21724 Camden, NY - \$5 1875 Fr. 404 The First National Bank Ch. # 2448 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A pleasing Series 1875 example with good color and strong signatures of J.G. and D.G. Dorrance. The Dorrance clan was a prominent Oneida County family. D.G. Dorrance served as president of the Oneida Valley NB of Oneida before founding the First NB of Camden. His son, John G., who signs as cashier, served as a state assemblyman and senator before assuming the presidency of the First NB after the death of his father. The Dorrance family home in Camden has been preserved, and is now on the National Register of Historic Places. Included with the lot is an 1880-dated check drawn on the bank and signed by bank president D. G. Dorrance. (Total: 2 items)

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21725 Cold Spring, NY - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The National Bank of Cold Spring on Hudson Ch. # 4416 PCGS Apparent Very Fine 35.**

An attractive example from this small Putnam County community nestled in New York's Hudson Valley, notes from this bank are just plain rare in both large and small size, as it had a miniscule issue befitting its limited capital of \$12,500. This offering is one of just six small size reported, all of which are Type 2 \$10s. It features more than ample margins, great color, and bold, original embossing. Were it not for a small flyspeck of a rust spot in the bottom margin, it would undoubtedly have been awarded the PPQ designation from PCGS rather than the apparent appellation.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21726 Canajoharie, NY - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The National Spraker Bank Ch. # 1257 Fine;**

**Monticello, NY - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The National Union Bank Ch. # 1503 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**

**Cooperstown, NY - \$20 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 280 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

An interesting trio of Small Size New York Nationals is offered here.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$285**

**21727 Farmingdale, NY - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 8882 PMG Very Fine 25.**

A pleasing evenly circulated piece from this always in demand Suffolk County community, this is a new addition to the census of barely a dozen small size reported.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21728 Lockport, NY - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The National Exchange Bank Ch. # 1039 PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A very attractive \$5 Brown Back from this far western New York bank, this note is easily the superior of the two listed in the census from here. It is a pleasing mid-grade example with great color, clear signatures, and original paper surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21729 New York, NY - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The National Bank of Commerce Ch. # 733 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Rich, deep colors are seen on the face and back of this New York Brown Back.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21730 New York, NY - \$1 Original Fr. 380 The Continental National Bank Ch. # 1389 PMG Very Fine 30 Net.**

Despite some minor repairs, this is a nice mid-grade example of an Original Series \$1 with ample margins, nice color, and dark pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21731 New York, NY - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The Springfield Gardens National Bank Ch. # 13149 PCGS Choice About New 58PPQ.**

A lovely note, this piece comes from one of New York City's toughest to obtain neighborhood banks, located in the borough of Queens not far from the location of present day John F. Kennedy Airport. While a couple of serial number 1 uncut sheets are listed in the census, this offering is one of only three non-serial number 1 notes reported. It is a bright, well embossed note, with only the slightest handling.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21732 St. Regis Falls, NY - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The St. Regis Falls National Bank Ch. # 7733 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

One of just six small size reported from this tiny one-bank community located in far northern New York, this piece is only the second 1929 Series example to be publicly offered in any venue since 2006. Displaying just plenty of honest wear, it has solid paper for the assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## NORTH CAROLINA

**21733 Statesville, NC - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The First National Bank Ch. # 3682 PMG Very Fine 20.**

One of fewer than a dozen large size reported from this elusive Iredell County bank, this piece is only the second of that group to cross the public auction block since 2010. It is an evenly circulated note with some ink stains on the back that have been lightened.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## NORTH DAKOTA

**21734 Fargo, ND - \$50 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank & Trust Company Ch. # 2377 PMG Very Fine 30.**

This institution was one of nine located here, attesting to the commercial importance of Fargo in the development and growth of North Dakota. A new addition to the census of about a dozen small size \$50s from this charter, it is an evenly circulated and problem free note.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## OHIO

**21735 Bucyrus, OH - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Second National Bank Ch. # 3274 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A bright and well margined \$5 Brown Back from this Crawford County bank, well known for a hoard of high grade examples of this type and denomination, this note is a more affordable piece that has some light folds. However, it still retains attractive ink colors and bold pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21736 Cincinnati, OH - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 590 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)24 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely Date Back from this low charter number Cincinnati bank, this offering looks like it came off the press yesterday. All of the superlatives apply - great signatures, bright paper, strong embossing, and a bold blue overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21737 Toledo, OH - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 91 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63;**

**Cleveland, OH - \$20 1902 Date Back Fr. 642 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)7 PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**

A pleasing pair of better than average condition notes awaits one fortunate bidder.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$225**

**21738 Massillon, OH - \$50 1902 Date Back Fr. 670 The Merchants National Bank Ch. # (M)4286 PMG Very Fine 25.**

Quite a few high denomination notes are reported from this Stark County bank, making this a good example for type. This \$50 displays even wear and nice color.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21739 Springfield, OH - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)238 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

Light handling is noticed on this brightly inked note.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*



## OKLAHOMA



**21740 Boynton, OK - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)6511 PCGS Very Fine 20.**

This Muskogee County bank is common in small size, but quite scarce in large, with Track & Price reporting only seven pieces extant. This offering is an evenly circulated and solid Plain Back that last sold at auction in 1998.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21741 Durant, OK - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 538 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5129 PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

An attractive early note from this Bryan County bank, this is one of only two 1882 \$5 Date Backs reported and easily the finer of the pair. This offering features bright, original paper surfaces and a vivid blue overprint.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21742 Durant, OK - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 546 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5129 PMG Very Fine 30.**

The top margin is trimmed well into the design, but this early Durant note is otherwise bright and problem free for the grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21743 El Reno, OK - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 538 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)4830 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A very scarce early El Reno note, this is one of three pieces known from the same sheet, all of which were either circulated or were subjected to considerable wear. This offering has sustained just honest wear and retains solid paper for the grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21744 Hydro, OK - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 9944 PCGS Apparent Very Fine 35.**

This \$10, bearing one of the more interesting Oklahoma place names, comes from the only bank in town to issue Series 1929 notes. There are fewer than a dozen small notes documented from this charter number. That number is far fewer than what is needed to supply not only Oklahoma collectors, but collectors of unusual town names. And for those of you who are asking, this Caddo County town was named to denote the town's plentiful well water. It features bright paper and embossing, with just a couple small edge tears present in the bottom left margin.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21745 Kingfisher, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 627 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # 9954 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.**

A very tough bank to find in large size, this is just the eighth large example to be reported and the first to be publicly offered from here in eight years. It is an evenly circulated and attractive note for the assigned grade.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21746 Lahoma, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 627 The First National Bank Ch. # 9974 PMG Very Fine 25.**

Large notes only were issued from this seldom seen Garfield County bank, with only one public offering since 2010. This moderately circulated \$10 has solid paper and dark printed signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21747 Lawton, OK - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 546 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5914 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Although this Comanche County bank lasted just long enough to issue Third Charter notes, only Second Charter examples are known from here. This \$10 has very nice pen signatures of the cashier and vice president.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21748 Miami, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 627 The Ottawa County National Bank Ch. # (W)10019 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

An appealing, lightly circulated example from this large only Miami bank that merged out of existence in 1929, the note has great color and dark signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21749 Pauls Valley, OK - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 546 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)5091 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25 Details.**

A scarce early note from this Garvin County bank, this is just the second 1882 \$10 Date Back to be reported. Although this institution issued a fair number of Territorial and state Brown Backs, no examples of either are listed in the census, making the known 1882 Date Backs the earliest recorded survivors. This \$10 faces up quite nicely with sharp ink colors with just some minor paper pulls and scuffs on the back.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21750 Purcell, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 628 The Chickasaw National Bank Ch. # (W)4756 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 30.**

An elusive large size only short-lived bank, this institution went into voluntary liquidation on June 21, 1927. This offered note is a new addition to the census and is one of the finer pieces we have seen from here. It is a bright \$10 Plain Back with great color and legible stamped signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21751 Shawnee, OK - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 556 The Shawnee National Bank Ch. # (W)5115 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

This is not only a new note for the census of this Shawnee bank, but it is a welcome addition because it is the first 1882 \$20 Date Back to be reported. It is quite attractive for the grade with sharp ink colors and just a few very minor paper scuffs on the back.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21752 Tahlequah, OK - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 659 The First National Bank Ch. # 5478 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A tougher bank in large size, this is one of just ten such examples reported. This is an evenly circulated \$20 with legible stamped signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21753 Tulsa, OK - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 634 The Producers National Bank Ch. # 12042 PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

One of Tulsa's more elusive issuers, this institution has only about a dozen large examples in the census. This is one of the nicer examples and was last on the market in our 2007 FUN auction.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

## OREGON



**21754 Portland, OR - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 484 The United States National Bank Ch. # (P)4514 PCGS Banknote Choice Fine 15.**

A moderately circulated Brown Back, this piece is by no means a common type from Oregon. It has the bonus of bearing a popular "Forbidden Title." This 10 retains four solid margins, good color, and clear signatures.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

## PENNSYLVANIA

**21755 Athens, PA - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 504 The Athens National Bank Ch. # 5202 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A pretty \$20 Brown Back from this better Athens bank, the third of three note issuers located here. It is the first example of this type and denomination to surface from here. It features excellent color and bold pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21756 Boyertown, PA - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 501 The National Bank of Boyertown Ch. # (E)2137 PMG Very Fine 30.**

This is just the second \$20 Brown Back to be reported from this Berks County bank. As the other known example grades just Very Good, this piece is easily the finer of the pair. It features solid margins, crisp paper, and a rich brown overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21757 Brownsville, PA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The Monongahela National Bank Ch. # (E)648 PMG Very Good 10.**

Though well circulated, this is one of only two Red Seals reported from this western Pennsylvania bank and the only \$10. Despite its amount of wear, the red overprint and pen signatures remain quite bold.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21758 Brownsville, PA - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 466 The Second National Bank Ch. # 2673 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A scarce early note from this Fayette County bank, this is only the second Series 1882 example of any type or denomination to surface from here. This piece is an evenly circulated \$5 Brown Back with great color and signatures along with an appealing bank title layout.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21759 Dunbar, PA - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)7576 PMG Fine 12.**

An exceedingly rare western Pennsylvania bank which issued large notes only before liquidating in 1927, this evenly circulated \$10 Date Back is one of a pair of newly reported notes we are pleased to offer from this charter that had just four pieces reported, none of which have been publicly offered anywhere in over 10 years.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21760 Dunbar, PA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)7576 PMG Fine 12.**

Another newly reported \$10 from this downright rare Fayette County bank, this one is the Plain Back variety. It shows just honest wear with its paper slightly toned.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21761 Ebensburg, PA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 5084 Very Good;**

**Patton, PA - \$10 1929 Ty. 2 The First National Bank Ch. # 4857 Fine;**

**Barnesboro, PA - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 5818 Very Fine;**

**Ebensburg, PA - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The American National Bank Ch. # 6209 Fine-Very Fine.**

The \$10 note has a paper pull on the back of the note.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 4 notes)*

**21762 Ellsworth, PA - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 National Bank of Ellsworth Ch. # (E)6929 PMG Very Fine 20.**

An unusual note from this Washington County bank that operated in Pennsylvania's coal country, in that most of its known large size notes are either number 1 examples or high grade Red Seals. This new addition to the census of this scarce bank is an evenly circulated and solid Plain Back with bold signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## The Only Serial Number 1 from Wayne County



**21763 Hawley, PA - \$10 1902 Red Seal Fr. 613 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)6445 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A rare example of this Wayne County institution, this piece is one of only a half-dozen known. The bank opened in 1902 and made it through the small size era. There has only been one other large size note sold at auction and that was a solid two decades ago. This is the only Red Seal known from the bank, and for that matter the only Red Seal from the entire county. A riveting note for the aspiring Pennsylvania, Red Seal, or Serial Number 1 collector.

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**21764 Hershey, PA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Hershey National Bank Ch. # 12688 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Ezra F. Hershey's signature appears as President on this crisp, well embossed example from this always in demand location. With a touch larger margins, this pretty note would have easily been awarded a Gem grade.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21765 Johnstown, PA 1929 Ty. 1 Nationals Very Fine or Better.**

**\$5; \$50 The United States National Bank Ch. # 5913;**

**\$10; \$20 The First National Bank Ch. # 51;**

**\$20 The Moxham National Bank Ch. # 12098.**

The five notes in this lot are a good representation of the national banks that operated in Johnstown, PA. The \$10 note has staple holes and stains throughout the note as well as a small tear on the right margin. One of the \$20 examples has staining on the right side of the note; the other has a small ink spot on the back of the note and minor edge damage.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 5 notes)*

### Finest Note Known from Peoples NB of Latrobe



**21766 Latrobe, PA - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 490 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # 5744 PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

The census reveals that this is the finest note known from the bank, and the first large size offering in nearly fifteen years. All things considered, this bold and attractive note will be a great addition to an advanced Pennsylvania collection.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**21767 Masontown, PA - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 504 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)5441 PMG Very Fine 20 EPQ.**

The only Brown Back of any denomination reported from this Fayette County bank, this note is crossing the auction block for the first time. It is a very attractive piece that exhibits even wear, original surfaces, and excellent color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21768 Huntingdon, PA - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 31 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;**

**Pittsburgh, PA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 632 The Second National Bank Ch. # (E)252 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A pleasing pair of Small Size and Large Size Nationals awaits one lucky bidder.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$150**

**21769 Stoystown, PA - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 537 The First National Bank Ch. # (E)5682 PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

A most attractive \$5 Date Back from this Somerset County bank that has just over a dozen large size reported, this well margined \$5 is one of the finer survivors with bright paper and sharp ink colors.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21770 Union City, PA - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 National Bank Ch. # 14093 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Broad margins and embossing are found on this note that is tied for the finest of the dozen or so recorded in the census for this popular 14000 Charter Number bank that operated in Erie County.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21771 Uniontown, PA - \$10 1882 Date Back Fr. 542 The Second National Bank Ch. # (E)5034 PMG Very Fine 20.**

From western Pennsylvania's Fayette County, this offering is one of just two \$10 Date Backs reported from this scarce issuer. One of barely a dozen large reported, it exhibits just even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21772 Uniontown, PA - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 658 The Second National Bank Ch. # (E)5034 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

A nice new addition to the census of this better western Pennsylvania bank for which most of the large size survivors are rather well circulated, this \$20 is happy exception as it exhibits great color, original surfaces, and just some light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

### RHODE ISLAND



**21773 Providence, RI - \$1 1875 Fr. 383 The Phenix National Bank Ch. # 948 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

The paper easily justifies the EPQ grade modifier, as the few folds signify that the paper surfaces are original. The inks are dark and the blue swath is bold. Also, signatures of Cashier Geo. E. Martin and President E. Pearce are especially dark. It is a new note for the census with only two aces from this charter number having a higher grade. In fact, it is the nicest example of an ace from this bank to appear at auction in over 22 years.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21774 Saint Louis, MO - \$5 1902 Date Back Fr. 593 The National Bank of Commerce Ch. # (M)4178 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45;**

**Providence, RI - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 598 The Blackstone Canal National Bank Ch. # 1328 PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A pleasing pair of lightly handled Large Size Nationals are seen in this lot.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$250**

## SOUTH CAROLINA

**21775 Spartanburg, SC - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Commercial National Bank Ch. # 14211 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A most attractive example, this piece is from the only 14000 charter number in South Carolina to issue nationals. PMG mentions the as made wrinkles.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$150**

**21776 Sumter, SC - \$5 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 3809 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A true South Carolina rarity, this institution issued only \$5 Type 1 examples in small size before the bank was liquidated at the end of September, 1931. A mere five small notes are known, with two grading Very Good and a third rather deplorable Good. This newly reported note is a happy exception, and is a bright, well margined piece with nice color and even wear. In our 2018 Long Beach auction, we sold a PMG Very Fine 25 Net example for \$900.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

## SOUTH DAKOTA

**21777 Aberdeen, SD - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # 2980 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A very nice large size note from this Brown County bank, this piece exhibits nice color, even wear, and dark purple stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21778 Elkton, SD - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # (W)6368 PCGS Banknote Fine 12.**

This offering is from a scarce Elkton bank that has a scant six notes reported, including this example which is making its inaugural auction appearance. It is a pleasing, mid-grade piece with solid paper and attractive color.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## TENNESSEE

**21779 Clarksville, TN - \$50 1902 Date Back Fr. 667 The Clarksville National Bank Ch. # 2720 PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.**

One of barely a dozen large size reported from this Clarksville bank that issued only the high denominations during the Series 1902 era, this \$50 has seen its share of circulation and does have some repairs, including a reconstructed corner.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21780 Jackson, TN - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 487 The First National Bank Ch. # 2168 PMG Fine 12 Net.**

A better type and denomination, this piece hails from an issuer located in the county seat of Madison County. Thanks to some skillful repairs, this \$10 Brown Back faces up nicely for its assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21781 McMinnville, TN - \$10 1882 Brown Back Fr. 490 The Peoples National Bank Ch. # (S)2593 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A solid Brown Back from this Cumberland Plateau community, this piece has a nice color and appearance for the grade. It definitely represents a better type for the state of Tennessee.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21782 Rockwood, TN - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 609 The Rockwood National Bank Ch. # 12257 PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.**

A scarce bank, this piece is one of only eight large reported. PMG in grading this note, invented a new currency term that it placed on its holder, indicating this note suffers from a "broken repair," along with a split. We will leave it up to the bidders to decide what PMG is talking about.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## TEXAS

**21783 Aransas Pass, TX - \$10 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 10274 PCGS Fine 15.**

A very scarce bank, as six of the nine Series 1929 examples reported from this small coastal community are serial number 1 notes from the first sheet of \$5s issued. This \$10, which is one of the three non-serial number 1 notes in the census, and the only \$10 reported, has solid margins and even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21784 Austin, TX - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 549 The Austin National Bank Ch. # (S)4308 PCGS Very Good 10.**

A rare early Austin note, this piece is one of only two 1882 Date Backs of any denomination reported from this institution to date. This is a very nice note for the grade, as PCGS has not added any comments to the label.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21785 Austin, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 627 The Austin National Bank Ch. # (S)4308 PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A high grade example, this offering is from this always in demand state capital. Just a trace of handling is observed, after considerable effort, through the PMG holder on this beautiful note.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21786 Beeville, TX - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 655 The Commercial National Bank Ch. # 4866 PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

This is a beautiful \$20 from this Bee County bank with pink stamped signatures of R.E. Miller and R.J. Cook. The paper surfaces are original with embossing of the charter number also found. Track & Price reports eight large, but three are part of the former Philpott holdings. This is the highest graded note of the remaining five that are available to collectors.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21787 Bowie, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 628 The City National Bank Ch. # 4785 PMG Fine 12.**

A scarcer Bowie bank, this institution closed its doors with just nine large notes currently reported. However, of the nine pieces, this evenly circulated \$10 is the only one to have made a public appearance since 2004.

**Starting Bid: \$400**





**21788 Brownsville, TX - \$20 1882 Date Back Fr. 550 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)4577 PMG Very Fine 25.**

One of only five Second Charter notes documented from this bank that was chartered in 1891, this is the only \$20 Date Back. It is a well margined note with even wear and nice color on both face and back.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21789 Hereford, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The Western National Bank Ch. # (S)6812 PMG Very Fine 30.**

An attractive new addition to the census for this scarce Hereford bank, this piece becomes the finest large size known from here. With no other notes reported above the Very Fine 20, this bright, well printed \$10 easily vaults to the top of the condition census. Barely a dozen large size are reported from this Panhandle charter that closed its doors in 1931.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21790 La Coste, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 628 The La Coste National Bank Ch. # 10189 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Though well circulated, this is one of just a half dozen large size reported from this scarce Medina County bank. None of those examples have crossed the public auction block in 20 years, according to Track & Price.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21791 La Grange, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The First National Bank Ch. # 3906 PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A bright and appealing large size note from this Fayette County bank, this piece has purple stamped signatures and certainly appears New in the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21792 Longview, TX - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 618 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)4077 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A pretty note, this is just the tenth large size to be reported from this Gregg County bank. According to the Track & Price census, it becomes the finest known. It features bright, white paper and flashy ink colors.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21793 Marshall, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 626 The Marshall National Bank Ch. # (S)4101 PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A nice example from one of Marshall's three issuing banks, none of which are at all common in large size, this is a new addition to the census, and is, quite possibly, the finest known.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21794 Memphis, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 608 The First National Bank Ch. # 6107 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A pleasing mid-grade example from this scarce panhandle bank, this piece is one of just ten large size reported. This note made its last auction appearance over 20 years ago. The piece bears the so-called "Fourth Charter" plate date of January 11, 1922 and also a great "misplaced town" name.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21795 Mineola, TX - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 537 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)5127 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A scarce early note from this Wood County bank, this piece is just the third \$5 Date Back to be reported, and only the ninth large size overall to surface from here. It faces up quite nicely with pleasing color and dark printed signatures with just some light staining on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21796 Mount Pleasant, TX - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 654 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)4722 PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A great new addition to the census of this scarce Titus County bank, this example becomes just the tenth note (along with an Uncut Sheet) to be reported from here. It also easily becomes the finest of that small group, where most of the known notes are rather well worn. This \$20 is quite the opposite, with bright, white paper, bold ink colors, and strong purple stamped signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21797 Sabinal, TX - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 650 The Sabinal National Bank Ch. # 7807 PMG Very Fine 25.**

From a better Uvalde County bank, this is one of just ten large size reported from this issuer. It exhibits even wear and the black ink rubber stamped signatures of Cashier H.G. Peters and President H.P. Stone.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21798 Tulia, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 625 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)6298 PMG Fine 12.**

This bank was the sole issuer in this small west Texas community. While nine large notes are listed in the latest census, almost half of that total are impounded forever in the Philpott/Moody holdings. This offering is a well circulated but intact Plain Back with dark printed signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21799 Tyler, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 607 The Citizens National Bank Ch. # 5343 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

A high grade note, this piece is from a popular east Texas location where most of the known survivors are rather well circulated. This pretty \$5 is a happy exception with wonderful color and just a couple of light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21800 Waco, TX - \$50 1902 Date Back Fr. 674 The First National Bank Ch. # (S)2189 PMG Very Fine 20.**

A tougher type and denomination from this otherwise very available bank, this moderately circulated \$50 does have some stains, and the bank officers' signatures have been redrawn.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21801 Wichita Falls, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # 3200 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A most attractive, near-Gem example from this Wichita Falls charter, the note features excellent color and fully original paper surfaces.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21802 Wichita Falls, TX - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 624 The First National Bank Ch. # 3200 PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A true beauty, this offering has ideal color and bold embossing. With a bit more bottom margin, this pretty note would have achieved a Gem grade. Only a couple of large size notes from this charter number are graded higher. In our last FUN auction, we sold a PMG Choice Unc 63 EPQ example for \$1,200.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21803 Wichita Falls, TX - \$5 1902 Plain Back Fr. 601 The City National Bank Ch. # 4248 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A simply gorgeous note from this Wichita Falls bank, this is easily the finest large size we have ever handled from this charter. It has everything a collector could desire - bright, white paper, bold and especially vivid inks, and loads of eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21804 Winnsboro, TX - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 659 The First National Bank Ch. # 5674 PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

A great new addition to the census, this is the finest large size we have ever seen from this scarce Wood County bank. Just a couple of light folds are found on this bright and original \$20.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21805 Wolfe City, TX - \$5 1929 Ty. 2 The Wolfe National Bank Ch. # 13199 PCGS Choice About New 55.**

A most attractive example from this Hunt County bank, this piece bears low serial number A000004. There is no discernable evidence of circulation seen through the holder of this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## VERMONT



**21806 Montpelier, VT - \$5 1882 Brown Back Fr. 467 The Montpelier National Bank Ch. # 857 PMG Very Fine 30.**

A most attractive \$5 Brown Back from this by no means common state capital, this pretty note is from the Green Mountain State and features sharp ink colors and clear pen signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## VIRGINIA

**21807 Bassett, VA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 634 The First National Bank Ch. # 11976 PMG Choice Fine 15.**

Four large size notes are known for this rare Henry County bank. PMG has noted Rust, which is simply a paper clip rust stain on the back. The only example we have sold was a PMG Choice Fine 15 Net that realized \$1,880 in our 2015 FUN sale.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## WASHINGTON

**21808 Hoquiam, WA - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 627 The First National Bank Ch. # 4427 PMG Fine 12.**

This is a new note for the census of this scarce Grays Harbor County bank that has only a dozen or so large size reported. It shows just honest wear and is housed in a comment free holder.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21809 Walla Walla, WA - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 536 The First National Bank Ch. # (P)2380 PCGS Banknote Very Good 10 Details.**

A much tougher type and denomination from this always in-demand bank that issued only large size notes, this example is one of just four 1882 \$5 Date Backs in the census. The note has seen its share of circulation and has some edge splits and stains, but its blue overprint remains quite strong.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

## WISCONSIN

**21810 Appleton, WI - \$20 1882 Brown Back Fr. 504 The Commercial National Bank Ch. # (M)2565 PCGS Extremely Fine 40.**

One of three \$20 Brown Backs known from this bank, this piece is by far the nicest of the trio. It is a pen-signed note, with great color and eye appeal, and the appearance of a fully new note until very closely examined.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21811 Milwaukee, WI - \$20 1929 Ty. 1 The First National Bank Ch. # 64 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;**

**Fond Du Lac, WI - \$10 1902 Plain Back Fr. 634 The Commercial National Bank Ch. # 6015 PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A nice pair of notes from America's Dairyland are in this lot.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$150**



**21812 Kaukauna, WI - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 652 The First National Bank Ch. # 3641 PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

A lovely example from this scarce bank, which has a census population of only a dozen or so large notes, this pen-signed beauty boasts sharp ink colors and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21813 Kaukauna, WI - \$20 1902 Plain Back Fr. 652 The First National Bank Ch. # 3641 PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

A new addition to the census for this better Outagamie County bank, this \$20 displays sharp pen signatures, blazing ink colors, and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## SMALL SIZE

### LEGAL TENDER NOTES

**21814 Fr. 1500 \$1 1928 Legal Tender Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Stunning embossing and paper wave are seen through the holder of this \$1 Legal Tender. The rich red third printing is perfect against the creamy white paper.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21815 Fr. 1503 \$2 1928B Legal Tender Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A well printed and totally original example of the key note to the \$2 Legal series is offered in this lot. Appearances at this grade level have been scarce indeed in recent years.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21816 Fr. 1505★ \$2 1928D Legal Tender Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Huge margins grace this lovely, pack fresh replacement note that displays bright paper and embossing. PMG has graded only one note a single point finer than this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21817 Fr. 1505★ \$2 1928D Legal Tender Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A well margined and boldly printed \$2 Legal star, this note features original embossing easily seen on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21818 Fr. 1505★ \$2 1928D Mule Legal Tender Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This is a very challenging-to-locate Legal Tender star, especially in the CU grades. This crackling fresh example features a vivid red overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21819 Changeover Pair Fr. 1527/1528 \$5 1928B/1928C Mule Legal Tender Notes. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

One of only two changeover pairs of this type listed in the tenth edition of *Standard Guide to Small-Size U.S. Paper Money* by John Schwartz and Scott Lindquist, both notes have "Exceptional Paper Quality" spelled out on their back labels. The Fr. 1527 has four beautiful wide margins.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21820 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1527/1527 \$5 1928B Mule/1928B Legal Tender Notes. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

One of only two reverse changeover pairs of this combination listed in the latest Schwartz-Lindquist reference, this set makes a nice conversation piece.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21821 Fr. 1530 \$5 1928E Mule Legal Tender Note with Back Plate 629 PMG Fine 12.**

While mules from this \$5 Legal series are occasionally available with back plate number 637, this is only the second example with back plate number 629 to grace our auctions. That paucity of appearances is certainly understandable as the tenth edition Schwartz-Lindquist reference states on page 91 that 629 is at least ten times scarcer than 637. This example is an evenly circulated piece in a comment free holder.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**21822 \$2 and \$5 Legal Tender Notes.**

Fr. 1501 \$2 1928 PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;

Fr. 1508 \$2 1928G Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1509 \$2 1953 Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1512 \$2 1953C Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1513 \$2 1963 Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1514 \$2 1963A Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1525 \$5 1928 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;

Fr. 1531 \$5 1928F Wide I Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1532 \$5 1953 Choice Crisp Uncirculated;

Fr. 1536 \$5 1963 Choice Crisp Uncirculated.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 10 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$225**

**21823 Fr. 1550 \$100 1966 Legal Tender Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1551 \$100 1966A Legal Tender Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

PMG noted that there was erasure on the Fr. 1551.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

## SILVER CERTIFICATES



**21824 Low Serial Number 15 Fr. 1600 \$1 1928 Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The attributes of this note start off with low serial number F00000015A and then proceed to dark inks, nice centering, and embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21825 Consecutive Pair of Fr. 1600★ \$1 1928 Silver Certificates. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 and 64.**

This fresh and attractive star note pair is adorned with a very vivid blue overprint.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21826 Fr. 1601 \$1 1928A Silver Certificates. Nineteen Examples. Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**

These crackling fresh examples are from the same pack. There are two runs of consecutive notes. They number eight and eleven pieces each. A BEP band split in two at top accompanies this lot. Pencil on the band is the date, "7/7/30." (Total: 19 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21827 Solid Serial Number 33333333 Fr. 1601 \$1 1928A Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 30.**

This moderately circulated solid serial number has a split.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21828 Fr. 1604 \$1 1928D Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Strong embossing, wide margins, and vibrant color are the hallmarks of this D-B block note from the elusive 1928D series.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21829 Fr. 1605 \$1 1928E Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

An F-B block example of this key \$1 Silver with original paper surfaces, this piece was the 216th note printed.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21830 Eight \$1 Silver Certificates. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1606 1934 Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1607 1935 Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1608★ (3) 1935A Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ (2);**

**Fr. 1616★ (2) 1935G No Motto Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ; Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1621 1957B Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

This is an attractive grouping of Blue Seal notes.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 8 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$225**

**21831 Fr. 1607★ \$1 1935 Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A nice looking and well embossed replacement note, examples are seldom seen in this state of preservation.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21832 Fr. 1609 \$1 1935A R Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1610 \$1 1935A S Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Embossing and great color are the hallmarks of this pleasing pair of Experimental notes. Experimentals were released in the Chicago area on June 20, 1944 to test regular ("R") and special ("S") paper head-to-head. The test was inconclusive, and paper money collectors received much of the blame for removing the specially marked notes from circulation. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21833 Fr. 1618 \$1 1935H Silver Certificate. Ninety-Nine Examples Choice About Uncirculated or Better;**

**Fr. 1618★ \$1 1935H Silver Certificate. Choice About Uncirculated.**

The pack has runs of consecutive notes from 06518201-44 and 0658246-300 with the star note being the replacement for 06518245. The notes in this pack are all **Choice About Uncirculated** or better. The first and the last two notes in the pack have more handling than the rest of the notes. (Total: 100 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21834 Fr. 1651 \$5 1934A Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Low two digit serial number 22 adds interest to this offering.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21835 Changeover Pair Fr. 1651/1651 \$5 1934A/1934A Mule Silver Certificates PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The first note is a non-mule with macro face plate number 1025 and macro back plate number 986. The mule has macro face 958 and micro back 896. Both \$5s have natural paper wave and embossing.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21836 Fr. 1651★ \$5 1934A Mule Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The Mule stars are much scarcer than the Non-mule stars for the 1934A Series especially in the higher grades. In fact PMG has graded only one higher of this Friedberg number. This example has merits of bold embossing, wide margins, and nice centering.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21837 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1652/1651 \$5 1934B/1934A Silver Certificates. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ; Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The Schwartz-Lindquist tenth edition lists only one changeover pair for the K-A block, and this reverse changeover pair is it.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21838 M-A Block Fr. 1653 \$5 1934C Wide Face Mule Micro Back Plate Number 637 Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Fabled micro back plate number 637 adorns this well embossed \$5 mule Silver. Work began on plate 637 on January 24, 1935 (thus it was started during the micro size era) and it was not finished until November 10, 1944 (as a micro, even though the BEP was now well into the macro era). Then the plate was not sent to press until June 23, 1945. BEP frugality and World War II are the best ways to explain the life of the much touted back printing plate 637 and its sibling, number 629.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21839 Fr. 1612 \$1 1935C Silver Certificates. Two Examples. Crisp Uncirculated;**

**Fr. 1654 \$5 1934D Wide I Silver Certificate. Choice Crisp Uncirculated;**

**Fr. 1655 \$5 1953 Silver Certificate. About Uncirculated;**

**Fr. 1706 \$10 1953 Silver Certificate. About Uncirculated.**

A nice selection of Silver Certificates in this lot. Most of the examples have light corner folds. The Fr. 1706 does have a center fold.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 5 notes)*

**21840 Fr. 1650 \$5 1934 Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1657 \$5 1953B Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1701 \$10 1934 Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ★;**

**Fr. 1708 \$10 1953B Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A pleasing group of Silver Certificates is offered in this lot.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 4 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$185**

**21841 Fr. 1703 \$10 1934B Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

While plentiful in the circulated grades, true new examples for this issue are quite a different story. The centering is nice overall on this high-end example with the bottom margin being a bit too thin.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21842 Fr. 1703 \$10 1934B Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This type is the second scarcest \$10 Silver for regular notes, with the number of Uncirculated examples being woefully inadequate for the number of active collectors. This attractive piece has received the accolades "Exceptional Paper Quality & Embossing" from PMG.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21843 Fr. 1705 \$10 1934D Narrow Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A near-Gem example of the much scarcer Narrow variety, this note has natural paper surfaces and flashy ink colors.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

## FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES



**21844 Low Serial Number "24" Fr. 1850-A \$5 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A crisp, well-framed \$5 FRBN with great color from the Boston district. Low serial number of 00000024.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21845 \$5-\$50 1929 FRBNs PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1850-G \$5 (2) Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ; Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1860-D \$10 Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1870-B \$20 Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1880-L \$50 Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

An EPQ quintet with PMG grading only three Fr. 1850-G examples higher and a mere two Fr. 1860-D notes higher. The Fr. 1850-G \$5 grading 66 EPQ has possibly a tiny obstruction error as there is an unprinted spot in the "I" in "Chicago" in the bank title.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 5 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$450**



**21846 Fr. 1860-H★ \$10 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A well margined and evenly circulated example, this scarce St. Louis \$10 FRBN star is worthy of consideration. The EPQ designation is very much justified for this mid-grade St. Louis \$10 star.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21847 Low Serial Number 77 Fr. 1880-J★ \$50 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

Low serial number J00000077★ is displayed on this pleasing and bright replacement note from the Kansas City district.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES

**21848 John B. Connally Courtesy Autograph Fr. 1905-C \$1 1969B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This note carries a low one digit serial number of 6.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21849 Double Digit Serial Numbers Fr. 1908-C \$1 1974 Federal Reserve Notes. Nine Examples. Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**  
Serial numbers in this lot are 00000011, 22, 33, 44, 55, 66, 77, 88, and 99. (Total: 9 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21850 Solid Serial Number 33333333 Fr. 1908-I \$1 1974 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A well centered note, this offering features a solid serial number 3.  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21851 Solid Serial Number 77777777 Fr. 1910-D \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
An appealing \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Note, the fancy serial number definitely adds to the appeal of this note.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21852 Solid Serial Number 44444444 Fr. 1910-K \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A lovely solid serial, this piece offers great paper quality and eye appeal.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21853 Solid Serial Number 22222222 Fr. 1911-C \$1 1981 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A pleasing example, this note features a solid serial number 2.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21854 Fr. 1912-K★ \$1 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
In the Robert Azpiazu reference, Collectors Guide to \$1 FRNs Series 1963 - 2003A, he lists this Dallas star as the second rarest \$1 FRN at \$1,300 in CU. A print run of just 640,000 guarantees this replacement will be a key small size note for many years to come.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21855 Solid Serial Number 66666666 Fr. 1913-B \$1 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
Solid Serial Number 6. A lovely solid with great paper quality and eye appeal.  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21856 Solid Serial Number 55555555 Fr. 1913-B \$1 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
A lovely solid, this note has great paper quality and eye appeal.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21857 Fr. 1913-H★ \$1 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**  
A mere 640,000 notes were printed of this Friedberg number, but almost all succumbed immediately to attrition. It is listed at \$1,100 in Choice CU in the Schwartz-Lindquist reference. An as-made paper wrinkle on this well preserved example has been noted by PMG.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21858 Fr. 1913-H \$1 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**  
Excellent color and Gem paper surfaces are the hallmarks of this very scarce St. Louis star. An as-made paper wrinkle has been noted by PMG.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21859 Fr. 1914-F★ \$1 1988 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A lovely example, this elusive Atlanta replacement note has wide margins and superb paper surfaces.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21860 Seven of a Kind Eights Fr. 1917-F \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Notes. Nine Examples. Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better.**  
Serial numbers included in this lot are 88888880-88888887 and 88888889. (Total: 9 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21861 Seven of a Kind Eights Fr. 1917-H \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Notes. Nine Examples. Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better.**  
The serial numbers in this lot are: 88888808; 88888818; 88888828; 88888838; 88888848; 88888858; 88888868; 88888878; and 88888898. (Total: 9 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21862 Seven of a Kind Eights Fr. 1917-H \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Notes. Nine Examples. Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better.**  
Serial numbers included in this lot are 88888880-88888887, and 88888889. (Total: 9 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21863 Solid Serial Number 33333333 Fr. 1918-E \$1 1993 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
Solid serial number 3 graces this Richmond issue.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21864 Descending Ladder 76543210 Fr. 1918-F \$1 1993 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
A wide margined, well centered F-A block \$1 with a neat in-demand down ladder serial number. It also represents the scarcer Mule variety for this series with back plate number 493.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21865 Solid Serial Number 55555555 Fr. 1919-H \$1 1993 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
A pleasing example of a fancy solid serial number 5, this lucky note remains in great condition.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21866 Solid Serial Number 44444444 Fr. 1921-B \$1 1995 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Serial 44444444 commands extra attention due to the popularity of fancy serial numbers across the globe.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21867 Seven of a Kind Eights Fr. 1922-H \$1 1995 Federal Reserve Notes. Nine Examples. Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better.**

The serial numbers for the lot are: 88888880-88888887, and 88888889. (Total: 9 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21868 Ascending Ladder Serial Number 01234567 Fr. 3002-B \$1 2013 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A pack fresh example, this modern \$1 FRN bears a neat ascending ladder serial number of 01234567.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21869 Fr. 1935-C★ \$2 1976 Federal Reserve Notes. Original Pack of 100.**

A pack of 100 Philadelphia Bicentennial stars grading **Choice CU** save for the **Choice AU** final example. The BEP band has handwritten on the back of it, "Ford / 5-11-76." A tape repair has been made to the BEP band. (Total: 100 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21870 Selection of \$1 and \$2 Federal Reserve Notes. Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better;**

Complete District Set Fr. 1900-A★-L★ \$1 1963 Twelve Examples.

Angela Buchanan Courtesy Autograph Fr. 1911-A \$1 1981;

Fr. 1922-K (4) \$1 1995;

Fr. 1929-G★ (3) \$1 2003;

Fr. 1935-D (2); H \$2 1976.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$26**

**21871 Fr. 1950-F★ \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A new serial number for the census of this scarce \$5 FRN star for which only about a dozen or so pieces have been reported, this is a bright and crisp example with just some light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21872 Matched Serial Number 107 Trio \$5, \$10, \$20 1928 Federal Reserve Notes. Very Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**

A lovely trio of 1928 notes all bearing serial number 00000107. A foresighted collector put this set together a long time ago, and one lucky collector will get to enjoy this set once more. The notes are nicely margined and evenly matched for grade. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21873 Fr. 1950-K \$5 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

The embossing of this numbered district \$5 FRN is strong, and the margins are virtually perfect. Tied for the finest graded by PMG, it is one of just three notes to achieve this lofty level.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21874 Fr. 1951-J \$5 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1952-C \$5 1928B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

PMG database was checked for EPQ.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21875 Fr. 1952-A \$5 1928B Federal Reserve Notes. Eight Consecutive Examples. PMG Graded.**

Plate letters in this consecutive lot are G through L followed by a second G and H note. That translates into one cut half sheet plus two more consecutive notes. The number of notes for each grade are **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ (4); Choice Uncirculated 64; Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 63; and Choice About Unc 58.** (Total: 8 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21876 Fr. 1954-F \$5 1928D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

These scarce notes were issued in 1933 and were quickly replaced by the 1934 issues which removed the "Redeemable in Gold on Demand" clause from the Treasury obligation. Issued only by the Atlanta Federal Reserve district, and in limited quantities, this is the key to the \$5 FRNs. This nice looking piece is certain to please.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21877 Fr. 1955-H \$5 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely example of this Light Green Seal \$5 that boasts superb paper surfaces and a bold lime-green overprint. It is tied for the finest graded by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21878 Fr. 1956-A; E; G; H; J \$5 1934 Mule Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded**

Examples 1956-H; and J grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.** Examples 1956-A; and G grade **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.** **Gem Uncirculated 64** is the grade for the example 1956-E.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21879 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1958-B/1957-B \$5 1934B/1934A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Paper originality stands out on this reverse changeover pair.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21880 Fr. 1957-B; G (3); L (2) \$5 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

Examples 1957-G (2), L grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.** For Block G-B, there are only two notes that have been graded higher by PMG. **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ** is the grade for 1957-B, G, and L examples.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21881 Changeover Pair Fr. 1957-C/1958-C \$5 1934A/1934B Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ; Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A consecutive serial number pair from two different series is found in this lot. This changeover pair is listed on page 373 of the tenth edition of Schwartz-Lindquist.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21882 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1958-C/1957-C \$5 1934B/1934A Federal Reserve Notes PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A pair of well preserved identical Gem \$5s, these notes feature the lower serial number from the newer series and are therefore a reverse changeover pair.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21883 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1958-D/1957-D \$5 1934B/1934A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ; Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Offered here is one of three examples of this Cleveland reverse changeover pair that is listed in latest edition of the Schwartz-Lindquist reference.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21884 Fr. 1958-A; B; G \$5 1934B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded. The examples 1958-B; and G grade Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ. Example 1958-A grades Choice Uncirculated 64. The PMG database was checked for EPQ status.**

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21885 Changeover Pair Fr. 1957-D/1958-D \$5 1934A/1934B Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ/Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This is one of a meager two Cleveland changeover pairs for these two series listed in the tenth and last edition of Schwartz-Lindquist.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21886 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1959-D/1958-D \$5 1934C/1934B Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ; Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The tenth edition of Schwartz-Lindquist reports only two reverse changeover pairs for Series 1934C/1934B Cleveland \$5s. The pair in this lot is one of those two.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21887 Fr. 1958-J \$5 1934B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.** This is by far the scarcest mule or non-mule \$5 from the 1934B Series. PMG documents only two serial numbers with our current offering becoming the third enumerated note. It has been over seven years since we last offered an example.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21888 Fr. 1959-B; G; H; J \$5 1934C Wide I Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1959-G grades Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. The 1959-B; and J grade Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ. Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ is the grade for the 1958-H example.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21889 Fr. 1959-B★ \$5 1934C Wide Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely example of this New York star bearing the Wide Face, it is sharply printed and exhibits strict originality.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21890 Fr. 1959-E★ \$5 1934C Wide Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

This is one of the toughest districts for stars in this series, with this 64 EPQ example exceeded by only one note that is just a single point finer in the PMG Population Report.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21891 Changeover Pair Fr. 1959-B/1960-B \$5 1934C Wide/1934D Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This is one of only five changeover pairs for these two series that are composed of New York \$5s and are listed in the tenth edition of the Schwartz-Lindquist reference.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21892 Series 1934D and 1950 Wide II \$5 Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1960-E 1934D Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-F 1950 Wide II Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-G 1950 Wide II Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-H 1950 Wide II Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-L 1950 Wide II Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Notes that have achieved the highest PMG grade for their Friedberg numbers in this lot are Fr. 1961-F, none equal or higher; Fr. 1961-G, one equal and none higher; and 1961-L, one equal and none higher.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21893 Fr. 1960-B; C; G (3) \$5 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

**Superb Gem 67 EPQ** is the grade for the 1960-G. Only one note grades higher according to the PMG Population Report. The 1960-C, G (2) each grades **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. Two notes grade higher for 1960-C. The 1960-B grades **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21894 Top Pop \$5 1950 Narrow and Wide II FRNs PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1961-D Narrow Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-H Narrow Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-D Wide II Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1961-E Wide II Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

PMG has not graded any examples higher for these notes. Furthermore, the 1961-D Narrow is tied with one other, the 1961-H Narrow is tied with three, the 1961-D Wide II is tied with two, and the 1961-E Wide II is also tied with two others. Each of the three 67 EPQ pieces has either one or two paper guide line markers in the top margin.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21895 Seven \$5 1950 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

Fr. 1961-C; E; F Wide I Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;  
Fr. 1961-D Wide II Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;  
Fr. 1961-H Narrow Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;  
Fr. 1961-J Wide I Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;  
Fr. 1961-K Narrow Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 7 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21896 Fr. 1962-I; I★ \$5 1950A Federal Reserve Notes PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only one example of the regular note higher. For the star, they have graded just one piece equal and none higher.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 2 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21897 Fr. 1962-B; F; G (2); H; K \$5 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

The 1962-B; G(2) grades **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**. The 1962-F grades **Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for the 1962-H; K examples.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21898 Four \$5 1950B Federal Reserve Star Notes. PMG graded.**

Fr. 1963-A★ Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;  
Fr. 1963-C★ Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;  
Fr. 1963-E★ Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;  
Fr. 1963-G★ Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.  
The notes have been checked in the PMG database for EPQ.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21899 \$5 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1963-K★ 1950B**  
**Fr. 1964-C; C★; D; D★ 1950C**  
Examples 1963-K★ and 1964-D grade **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for examples 1964-C; C★ and D★.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21900 Fr. 1963-B; C; D; G (4); I; K; L (2) \$5 1950B Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The B; C; D; G (2); I; K; L examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The I example has only two notes graded higher and the K example has three according to the PMG database. The G(2); and L grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 11 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21901 Fr. 1964-A; E, G★; H \$5 1950C Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1964-A; E; and H examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. According to the PMG database, the 1964-E has only one note graded higher. The 1964-G★ grades **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21902 Fr. 1964-C★; D★; G★; K★ \$5 1950C Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1964-C★, D★ and G★ examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**. PMG has graded only three higher on the Fr. 1964-C★ and four higher on the Fr. 1964-G★. The 1964-K★ grades **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21903 Fr. 1965-B; C★; F; G;(2); H★; J; L \$5 1950D Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1965-B; and H★ are graded **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The PMG database has one note graded higher than the Fr. 1965-H★. The 1965-C★, and one of the G examples grade **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ**. The 1965- F; one of the G examples; J; and L grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 8 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21904 Fr. 1966-B (2); G; L \$5 1950E Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

One of the 1966-B grades **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. Only one note grades higher according to the PMG database. **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for 1966-B; and G. The 1966-L grades **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 4 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21905 \$5 1963/1963A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

Fr. 1967-G grades **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. Fr. 1968-B; G grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. Fr. 1968-B; B★; E★; F grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**. **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ** is the grade for the Fr. 1968-H; K examples.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 8 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21906 Fr. 1968-B★; C; F; G; I★; L★ \$5 1963A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1968-B★; C; F; G; I★; L★ examples all grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. Only three notes have graded higher for the Fr. 1968-B★ according to the PMG database.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21907 Fr. 1969-A★; B; C★ (2); E★; F★; G; I★;K \$5 1969 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

The examples 1969-A★, B, F★, and G grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is the grade for examples 1969-C★, E★, I★ and K. The second Fr. 1969-C★ grades as a **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. There is only one note that has graded higher according to the PMG Population Report.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 9 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21908 Fr. 1969-A★ (2); C★; D; D★; F★; G; I; J★ \$5 1969 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The examples 1969-A★; C★; D; D★; G; J★ grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is the grade for 1969-A★; F★. **Choice About Unc 58 EPQ** is the grade for 1969-I.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 9 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21909 Fr. 1970-B; C; E; F; H \$5 1969A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

The 1970-B; F; H grade at **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The examples 1970-C; E grade at **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21910 Fr. 1970-B (2); C; H; J★ \$5 1969A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

**Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for 1970-B (2); C; J★. There is only one note graded higher than the Fr. 1970-J★. The example 1970-H grades **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21911 \$5 1969B Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1971-B Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1971-D Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1971-F★ Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1971-G Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1971-H Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1971-L Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only three examples of the Atlanta star higher.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21912 Fr. 1971-F★ \$5 1969B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

PMG commented "Great Embossing" on the holder. There is only one note graded higher in the PMG Population Report, as well as listed as having EPQ in the PMG database.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21913 \$5 1969C Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1972-B Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-D Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-D★ Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-F★ Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-H Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-H★ Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-J Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 1972-J★ Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Only one Atlanta star and one Kansas City star are graded higher by PMG.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 8 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21914 Fr. 1973-A; A★; C; C★; D; D★; F; F★; G; H★; I; I★; K \$5 1974 Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

The 1973-F grades **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ** and PMG has not graded any higher. The 1973-C, C★, D, D★, F★, I★, and K notes grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. PMG has graded only one example higher of each of the C★, I★, and K pieces. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is the grade for A, A★, G, H★, and I examples.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 13 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21915 Fr. 1973-A★; C; C★; D; E★; F; F★; G★; I; I★; L (2) \$5 1974 Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

The E★, F, F★, G★, and L-D examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. PMG has graded only one E★ and one F★ higher. The A★, C, C★, D, I, I★, and L-C examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 12 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21916 Fr. 1974-B; C; D★; F; F★; \$5 1977 Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

The C, D★, and F★ notes grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** with PMG grading only two F★ examples higher. The B and F pieces grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 5 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21917 Fr. 1975-A; B; D (2); G; G★; H; J (2); L \$5 1977A Federal Reserve Notes PMG Graded.**

**Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for the B, D (2), G★, H, and one of the L-B examples. PMG has graded only one B, two D, two G★, and zero H examples higher. The G and one of the J-B notes grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**. Also, the A and the second J-B weigh in at **Choice Uncirculated 64**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 10 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21918 Fr. 1976-C★; D★; E; F★; G★; I \$5 1981 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

**Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is the grade for 1976-C★; E; F★; G★; I examples. The example 1976-D★ grade is **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**; only one note at PMG has graded higher.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**21919 Fr. 1976-B★; C★; D; E (2); G; H; J (3) \$5 1981 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The examples 1976-B★, H, J grade at **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. There is only one Fr. 1976-H in the PMG Population Report that is graded higher. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is the grade for examples 1976-D, E (2), and J. The example 1976-C★ grades as **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ**. **Choice Uncirculated 64** is the grade for examples 1976-G, and J.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 10 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21920 Fr. 1977-B (2); B★; C; G; L★ \$5 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

Examples 1977-B (2); B★; L★ grade as **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is the grade for the example 1977-C. The example 1977-G grades as a **Choice Uncirculated 64**. PMG has noted a minor rust speck.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21921 Fr. 1978-A; B (2); C★; E; G★; I; K; K★; L \$5 1985 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1978-B (2); C★; E; G★; K★ grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The 1973-A; I; K; and L grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 10 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21922 Fr. 1978-A (2); B (2); C★; E; F★; H; K; K★; L \$5 1985 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

One of the Fr. 1978-A examples has a repeater serial number. The 1978-B (2); E; F★; and K★ examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The examples 1978-A (2); C★; H; K; and L grade as **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 11 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21923 Fr. 1979-B; Fr. 1980-B (2); B★; D (2); D★; F★; G; I \$5 1988/1988A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

The 1979-B example grade is **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The example 1980-F★ is grades **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. The 1980-B (2); B★; D (2); D★; and I examples grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. **Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ** is the grade for the example 1980-G.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 10 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21924 \$5 1988/1988A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1979-E;**

**Fr. 1980-B;D (4); F★; G; H★; K; L;**

**Fr. 1981-L.**

The example 1979-E; 1980-B;D (4); F★; G; H★, L and 1981-L is **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** is also the grade for examples 1980-K. One of the examples is a Radar-Repeater Serial Number.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 12 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21925 Solid 8 Serial Fr. 1979-G \$5 1988 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

Serial number 88888888 is emblazoned on this Chicago \$5. The lowest price for a solid 8 note in our auctions was \$940 for a Fr. 2068-A \$20 1969A FRN grading a raw Fine-VF. The top edge has ink on our current offering.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21926 Descending Ladder Serial Number 76543210 Fr. 1980-C \$5 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A pack fresh \$5 FRN, this offering bears a great down ladder serial number of 76543210. While we have offered examples of the \$1 and \$10 denomination with this serial in the past, this is the first \$5.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21927 Solid Serial Number 44444444 Fr. 1981-G \$5 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Solid Serial Number 4. The note is nicely centered and has original paper and nice embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21928 \$5 1993 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1982-B★; E★;**

**Fr. 1983-G★; H★; J; L**

The example 1983-H★ grades **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. Only two notes have graded higher than the **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. The examples 1982-B★; and E★ are graded **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. The examples 1983-G★; J; and L grade **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21929 \$5 1995 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1984-C (2); D;**

**Fr. 1985-F; F★(2); G; H (2); I; L.**

Examples 1984-C; and 1985-I grade **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. Examples 1984-C; 1985-F; F★; G; H (2); and L grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** are the grade for examples 1984-D; and 1985-F★.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 11 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21930 \$5 1999 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1986-E★;**

**Fr. 1987-A; B★; D; G; J; K**

Example 1987-B is graded **Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ**. The grade for examples 1987-A★; and G is **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for examples 1986-E★, 1987-D; J; and K.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 7 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21931 Fr. 1987-A★-B★ \$5 1999 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67.**

**Fr. 1987-G; G★; I; J★ \$5 1999 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

There is only one note graded higher for example 1987-A★. These notes are all near the top of the population report.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 6 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21932 Fr. 1988-A; C; E; G; J; L★ (3) \$5 2001 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded.**

The 1988-L★ is graded **Superb Gem Unc 69 EPQ**. This note qualifies for top pop. The 1988-A; and C grade **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for examples 1988-G; J; L★ (2). Example 1988-E grades **About Uncirculated 55 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 8 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21933 2003 Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 1989-G★;**

**Fr. 1990-F; L (3); L★ (4).**

Examples 1990-L★ (2) grades **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. Examples 1989-G★; 1990-G; L (3); L★ (2) grade **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 9 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21934 Fr. 1991-B; B★; F★ (4); G★; I; K; L (2) \$5 2003A Federal Reserve Notes. PMG Graded**

Examples 1991-B; F★ (3); and K are graded **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. One of these **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ** examples is a Radar Serial Number **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade of examples 1991-B★; F★; G★; I; L. Example 1991-L is **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 11 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21935 \$5 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Graded**

**Fr. 1992-F; G (2) 2006 Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

**Fr. 1993-D; F; F★; G(2);I; K; 2006 Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

**Fr. 1994-G; H; J; L 2009**

Example 1994-H grades **Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ**. Examples 1992-F; G(2); 1993-D; F★; I; and 1994- L grade **Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ**. Two of the examples are fancy serial numbers with one Binary and the other a Radar Serial Number. **Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ** is the grade for examples 1993-F; G; K; 1994-G; and J. Example 1993-G is graded **Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III (Total: 14 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21936 Fr. 2002-C★ \$10 1928B Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A very scarce LGS star, this is just the fourth replacement note to be reported for both seal varieties for this series and district. It exhibits great color and just slight evidence of circulation.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21937 \$5 and \$10 Federal Reserve Notes.**  
**Fr. 1951-G \$5 1928A PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ;**  
**Fr. 1952-D \$5 1928B About Uncirculated;**  
**Fr. 2001-D \$10 1928A About Uncirculated;**  
**Fr. 2002-G \$10 1928B Light Green Seal Choice Crisp Uncirculated;**  
**Fr. 2004-K \$10 1934 Light Green Seal Choice Crisp Uncirculated.**  
 A pleasing group of early Green Seals is available in this lot.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 5 notes)*

**21938 Changeover Pair Fr. 2005-C/Fr. 2006-C \$10 1934/1934A Mule Federal Reserve Notes. PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63.**  
 A scarce Philadelphia COP, the pieces are matched in grade. (Total: 2 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21939 Fr. 2043-F★ \$10 2017 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**  
 Pleasing low one digit serial number 00000006 adds to the appeal of this **Very Fine** replacement note. Great color is an obvious attribute. However, there are ink smears across the back right corner of the note.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21940 Solid Serial Number 11111111 Fr. 2023-G \$10 1977 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**  
 A solid serial number is displayed on this evenly circulated note with plenty of originality present.  
**Starting Bid: \$200**



**21941 Ascending Ladder 01234567 Fr. 2040-C \$10 2006 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
 A neat up ladder example that begins with the digit "0." We have auctioned fewer of these "01234567" up ladder notes than the serial number "12345678" up ladder variety.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21942 Descending Ladder 76543210 Fr. 2041-K \$10 2009 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**  
 Only the ninth time for us to offer an example of the "76543210" descending ladder serial number.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**21943 Fr. 2050-C \$20 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**  
 Philadelphia is not one of the scarcer districts, but Superb Gem 67 PPQ examples will be few and far between, with none graded finer by any of the major services.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21944 Fr. 2050-J★ \$20 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**  
 A vibrant 1928 \$20 small size replacement note, this piece has some erasure on the back of the note.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21945 Fr. 2050-B \$20 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ;**  
**Fr. 2051-F \$20 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**  
**Fr. 2052-B \$20 1928B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
 A nifty trio of Gold on Demand obligated small size notes awaits one lucky bidder.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**21946 Fr. 2052-H★ \$20 1928B Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**  
 A moderately circulated note, this example still shows great color. PMG did comment that this note has pinholes. It is one of just two replacement examples now recorded.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21947 Fr. 2061-E★ \$20 1950B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
 A gorgeous example of this very tough \$20 FRN star, this piece features flashy ink colors and crackling fresh paper.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21948 Low Serial Number 3 Fr. 2065-D★ \$20 1963 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 25.**  
 Very low single digit serial number 3 is found on this moderately circulated Cleveland star. This is the only low number star recorded for this series and district.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21949 Low Serial Number 10 Fr. 2065-E★ \$20 1963 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Choice About New 58PPQ.**  
 A crisp, well embossed example of this scarcer Richmond star, this piece bears low two-digit serial number 10. There are no other stars recorded for this series and district with less than a five-digit serial number.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21950 Solid Serial Number 11111111 Fr. 2066-E \$20 1963A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**  
 Solid Serial Number 1. Strong embossing and original paper are observed on this moderately circulated Cleveland \$20.  
**Starting Bid: \$225**

**21951 Solid Serial Number 22222222 Fr. 2073-D \$20 1981 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ★.**  
 Solid Serial Number 2. Nice margins and centering adorn this Cleveland \$20.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21952 Solid Serial Number 55555555 Fr. 2075-D \$20 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
 Solid Serial Number 5. Very little could be done to improve upon the beauty of this Cleveland Fed.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21953 Solid Serial Number 77777777 Fr. 2075-E \$20 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely example from the Richmond district, this piece has wide margins and strong embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21954 Solid Serial Number 55555555 Fr. 2077-A \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Solid Serial Number 5. This piece has near perfect margins and original paper surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21955 Solid Serial Number 55555555 Fr. 2077-G \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Solid Serial Number 5. Vivid color and superb paper surfaces are attributes of this well-margined Chicago \$20

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21956 Solid Serial Number 44444444 Fr. 2080-H \$20 1993 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Solid Serial Number 4. The note is free of folds and has some slight handling on the outer edges.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21957 Solid Serial Number 44444444 Fr. 2098-L \$20 2013 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Solid 44444444 serial number spruces up this San Francisco \$20. Minor ink is mentioned on the back label. It has red ATM ink along the edge at upper right. This is from tellers, who while loading an ATM machine, will mark every other pack of 100 notes with ink in order to facilitate counting when the need comes. The marking of notes in this fashion is quite prevalent today.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21958 Solid Serial Number 22222222 Fr. 7000-L \$20 2017 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ; Fr. 7000-L \$20 2017 Federal Reserve Note. Nine Consecutive Notes Choice Crisp Uncirculated or Better.**

A nice consecutive run of these modern \$20 FRNs that feature serial numbers 22222220 through 22222229. That run includes the all-important solid serial number 22222222 which PMG has encapsulated at the Superb level. (Total: 10 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21959 Fr. 2100-C★ \$50 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

An extremely scarce replacement note, this type had a print run of just 48,000 notes. Nice color and margins grace this pleasing mid-grade example.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21960 Fr. 2102-H \$50 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A bright, well margined St. Louis LGS \$50, this example retains a sharp lime-green overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**21961 Fr. 2114-J \$50 1969 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

A gorgeous example, this modern Kansas City \$50 is tied with just one other note as the finest graded by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21962 Fr. 2114-J★ \$50 1969 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Broad margins and embossing are the hallmarks of this Kansas City \$50 star that is tied for the finest graded by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21963 Fr. 2150-B★ \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Fine 15.**

A scarce and desirable New York star note, there are only eight pieces in the Track & Price census. The ink is bright although the note is moderately circulated. This note also has a low three digit serial number, 533.

**Starting Bid: \$425**

**21964 Fr. 2150-G★ \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

PMG comments that there was a minor repair. Even then, this is the finest graded example in the population report.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21965 Fr. 2151-C \$100 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

One of PMG's finest known examples, this offering is from a less frequently encountered district in this series that possesses bold green inks and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21966 Selection of \$50 and \$100 Federal Reserve Notes. About Uncirculated or Better.**

**\$50s Fr. 2100-L 1928; Fr. 2101-G \$1928A;**

**\$100s Fr. 2150-L 1928; Fr. 2151-L 1928A; Fr. 2175-B★ (4) 1996.**

The 1928 \$100 example has a stain on the right margin and ink on the left side of the note.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 8 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$700**

**21967 Fr. 2152-C/Fr. 2153-C \$100 1934/1934A Mule Federal Reserve Note. Changeover Pair. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ; Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The tenth edition of Schwartz-Lindquist does not list any Philadelphia \$100 changeover pairs for the 1934/1934A Series. This is the second set that we have seen since 2018. Changeover and reverse changeover pairs were caused by printing plates from different series being on the BEP presses at the same time. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21968 Fr. 2152-E★ \$100 1934 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

An evenly circulated and well margined example, this is a very scarce DGS Mule star. Only three districts have now reported Mule Stars for the 1934 Series - Richmond, Chicago, and Kansas City.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21969 Fr. 2152-J★ \$100 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

With a low three digit serial number and bright colors, this note will be a very appealing item for collectors. PMG notes that there are pinholes.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21970 Fr. 2153-B \$100 1934A Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A high grade, well-margined example, this \$100 FRN mule has back plate number 82.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21971 Fr. 2154-C \$100 1934B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A pretty Philadelphia \$100, this piece is well margined with excellent color.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21972 Fr. 2154-D \$100 1934B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This has traditionally been an overlooked series, with few collectors realizing the scarcity of examples from several of the districts, including Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Cleveland, all of which had an issue of fewer than 62,000 notes. This \$100 FRN has great color, broad margins, and nice centering. It was also part of the Tom Flynn collection that we sold in 2008.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**21973 Fr. 2154-H★ \$100 1934B Mule Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 25.**

An exceptionally rare star note, this example is from a series where star notes are reported from only five of the twelve issuing districts. Heritage Auctions last sold this note for \$1292.50 in January of 2017.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**21974 Fr. 2154-I \$100 1934B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An upper tier Gem, this piece is at the top of grading ladder for this Friedberg number. PMG has graded seven notes equal but none higher.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21975 Fr. 2155-A \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Paper originality is seen on both sides of this well margined and nicely embossed Boston \$100.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21976 Fr. 2155-E \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

We once offered this note as part of the Tom Flynn holdings in 2008. In the intervening years, not much has been added to the population reports. This piece is tied with just one other for finest known. A lovely and desirable piece that will be chased for its prime spot in a registry set.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21977 Fr. 2155-E★ \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

This top graded Richmond Star is an attractive piece with bright paper and an AU or better appearance. Unfortunately, there is some minor ink which the grading service notes on the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21978 Fr. 2155-L \$100 1934C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A perfectly centered and pack fresh Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ note, this is one of two graded at the lofty level by PMG with none finer.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21979 Fr. 2156-G★ \$100 1934D Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

With only 78,000 printed, this is a very scarce district from a challenging early issue. This moderately circulated example still retains traces of original embossing. Minor repairs have been done to this note.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**21980 Fr. 2156-H \$100 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Natural paper wave and embossing are trademarks of this well preserved St Louis \$100.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21981 Fr. 2156-K \$100 1934D Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

Natural paper wave and embossing are the trademarks of this well preserved Dallas \$100. This note is the product of a printing of a mere 66,000 notes for this series and district.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**21982 Fr. 2157-B★ \$100 1950 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

There is no finer example at PCGS of this scarce mule star which exhibits pleasing color and deep serial number embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21983 Fr. 2157-D★ \$100 1950 Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.**

Acute corners and embossing are exhibited by this Cleveland star. A careful collector will appreciate the quality in this note.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21984 Fr. 2157-H★ \$100 1950 Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A very well embossed and nicely margined example of this \$100 Star Federal Reserve Note. The *PMG Population Report* lists this as the highest graded Fr. 2157-H★.

**Starting Bid: \$300**



**21985 Fr. 2158-H★ \$100 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A vibrant and fully original St. Louis Star, this piece shows generous margins for the grade. With only one note graded higher, any collector would be proud to add this note to their treasures.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**21986 Fr. 2158-J★ \$100 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Plenty of natural paper wave and embossing are easily visible through the holder of this Choice example. A top grade for the Fr. 2158-J★, it was sold by Heritage in April, 2015 for \$470.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**21987 Fr. 2158-L★ \$100 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Serial number embossing and crackling fresh paper provide this note with excellent eye appeal. According to the *PMG Population Report*, there are none that have been graded higher.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**21988 Fr. 2160-C \$100 1950C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ★.**

Out of a print run of 576,000 notes, this example is tied for the finest-known regular issue Philadelphia district \$100 with just one other note. However, this \$100 has also been awarded the “★” designation by PMG for exceptional eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21989 Fr. 2160-H \$100 1950C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A scarce and pleasing St. Louis issue with a printing of only 720,000 notes, this piece is tied for finest known, with no other offerings since late 2017, when we sold a similarly graded example for \$1,020.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**21990 Fr. 2160-J \$100 1950C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ★.**

We last sold an example a few serial numbers removed from this note in the same grade for \$900. Although the same grade as the previous example, this note carries the PMG Star Designation. It is simply stunning and one of the nicest KC district notes around for the series.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21991 Fr. 2160-L★ \$100 1950C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A bright San Francisco replacement note, this piece exhibits nice originality. With one other note that graded equally, this note is a beautiful addition for a savvy collector.

**Starting Bid: \$300**



**21992 Fr. 2161-K \$100 1950D Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An elusive series and district from which to locate an example this nice. It is the finest graded by either service by three full points, with none higher. It is pack fresh and displays strong embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21993 Fr. 2173-C★ \$100 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

A near-perfect example, this modern \$100 FRN star is the sole finest graded by PMG for this series and district.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21994 Binary Radar Serial Number 10000001 Fr. 2182-L \$100 2006A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A great “Binary Radar” serial number of 10000001 appears on this well margined and pack fresh San Francisco \$100.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21995 Binary Repeater 00110011★ Fr. 2187-C★ \$100 2009A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

We are offering a binary repeater star serial number on a \$100 FRN for the first time in this lot.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**21996 Fr. 2200-G \$500 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

The stamp ink mentioned on the back label consists of small amounts of red and black ink from teller stamps on the face. The last time we auctioned PMG 30 with comments Fr. 2200-G notes was in 2019. We had two examples cross our auction block that year and they fetched prices of \$1,050 and \$1,200.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**21997 Fr. 2201-B \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A very well margined and boldly inked \$500 FRN, this piece is from the New York district.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**21998 Fr. 2201-B \$500 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

An evenly circulated New York LGS \$500, this offering resides in a PMG comment free holder. We had one other PMG comment free example cross our auction block in 2020. It realized \$1,110 in January, 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**21999 Fr. 2201-G \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

A bright and crisp Chicago \$500, this piece has acquired just a few light folds, but also some ink writing on both the face and the back.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22000 Fr. 2201-G \$500 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A low three digit serial number 362, this \$500 Chicago features minimal secondary handling and vivid color on the seal.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22001 Fr. 2201-G \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 30.**

A well printed high denomination note, this example has good color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22002 Fr. 2201-L \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

A San Francisco \$500, this offering is an excellent example for the third party grade, as the few folds observed are light. A small edge tear is mentioned on the third party back label.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22003 Fr. 2201-L \$500 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 20.**

A former wallet piece, this note has fewer folds than what is often found at this grade level. Split repairs have been made at top and bottom center.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22004 Fr. 2202-B \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 30PPQ.**

Boldly printed, this piece is easily a premium example for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22005 Fr. 2202-C \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A bright, well printed Philadelphia \$500, this piece saw limited circulation, but did acquire a partial teller stamp on its face.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22006 Fr. 2202-F \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A well printed Atlanta \$500, this piece has solid margins and good color.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22007 Fr. 2202-G \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

Points of the Treasury Seal are embossed on this comment free, well margined Chicago \$500. Another PMG 50 comment free example of this Friedberg number realized \$1,320 in the year 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22008 Fr. 2202-G \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

This Chicago \$500 faces up nicely with only a few light folds, but it does have an annotation on the back of the note.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22009 Fr. 2202-G \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

A pleasing Chicago district \$500 note, this piece is brightly overprinted and retains original surfaces.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22010 Fr. 2202-G \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Even, problem free wear and good color are the traits of this attractive Chicago \$500.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22011 Fr. 2202-G \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A pleasing \$500, this example faces up nicely for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22012 Fr. 2202-J \$500 1934A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 25.**

An evenly circulated \$500, this note is problem free for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## WORLD WAR II EMERGENCY NOTES

**22013 Fr. 2300★ \$1 1935A Hawaii Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

This Hawaii star note has excellent margins along with dark colors and bright paper. However, it also has some paper clip rust on its back.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22014 Fr. 2301 \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Back plate 1221 identifies this \$5 Hawaii note as a mule. This is a lovely example with bright paper and excellent embossing as well as great color.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22015 Fr. 2301★ \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 20.**

An elusive wartime mule star in a comment free third party holder, this example is from near the end of the first print run for 1934 Hawaii \$5 stars. September, 2017 saw us auction a PMG VF 25 example of this mule star for \$1,500.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22016 Fr. 2304 \$20 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**

Quite common in circulated grades, this type becomes amazingly scarce once the higher grade ranges are reached. Nice color and margins are seen on this lightly handled example.

**Starting Bid: \$300**



**22017 Several Hawaiian Silver Certificates.**  
**Fr. 2300 \$1 1935A PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**  
**Fr. 2302 \$5 1934A About Uncirculated;**  
**Fr. 2303 \$10 1934A Extremely Fine;**  
**Fr. 2305 \$20 1934A PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 4 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$550**

**22018 Fr. 2306★ \$1 1935A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**  
 A bright and vividly inked North Africa \$1 replacement note, this piece displays strong, original embossing.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22019 Fr. 2307 \$5 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
 An attractive example, this always popular WWII issue displays vibrant inking, strong embossing, and excellent centering.  
*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22020 Fr. 2309 \$10 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
 Bold embossing, dark inks, and natural paper wave are merits of this lovely World War II note.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22021 Pleasing \$1 & \$10 North African Pair.**  
**Fr. 2306 \$1 1935A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**  
**Fr. 2309 \$10 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$225**

## GOLD CERTIFICATES

**22022 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**  
 The originality of this note is clearly evident through the holder, while the vivid gold overprint contrasts perfectly with the bright white paper on this Gem \$10 Gold.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22023 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**  
 A vibrantly overinked \$10 Gold Certificate from the A-A block, this offering is nicely centered, boasting plenty of originality.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22024 Fr. 2400★ \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
 Gold replacement notes in nicer circulated grades for this issue have always been elusive and popular. This is a nice example with a dark orange-yellow overprint plus four solid margins, albeit the bottom a bit smaller than the other three.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22025 Fr. 2402 \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 55;**  
**Fr. 2402★ \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Very Fine 25.**  
 A vivid overprint is seen on this pretty \$20 Gold that appears new within its third party holder.  
 Survivors for this scarce replacement are rarely seen in Uncirculated grades. This example has a pencilled number on the face, with a very bright overprint.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22026 Fr. 2402★ \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**  
 The overprint is as bold as one would want for a lightly circulated note. Though not scarce, this star is offered infrequently in higher grades.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22027 Fr. 2404 \$50 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**  
 Light handling is evident, although the color remains deep on this pleasing \$50 Gold Certificate.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22028 Fr. 2404 \$50 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Very Fine 30.**  
 Light handling is evident, although the color remains deep on this pleasing \$50 Gold Certificate.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$250**

**22029 Fr. 2405 \$100 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
 PMG comments that there is a corner tear in this lightly circulated note.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22030 Fr. 2405 \$100 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Very Fine 30.**  
 A bright and pretty \$100 Gold, this piece appears nicer than its assigned grade. The erasure mentioned by PMG affects the back only. The note is considerably superior to a similarly graded example which realized \$810 in our last Central States sale.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

## ERROR NOTES



**22031 Obstructed Printing Error Fr. 36 \$1 1917 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**  
 A third printing obstruction kept seven characters in the right serial number from printing properly. This is one of the most dramatic obstructions that you will find on a large size note.  
*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22032 Obstructed Printing Error Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Fine 15.**

PMG mentions that a thread pull affects the portrait area of the face printing. That must have been an awfully big piece of thread. To us it appears as though some type of obstruction, thread or other object affects the portrait.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22033 Stuck Digit Error Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PMG Very Good 8.**

This well circulated \$2 Legal displays a "stuck digit" error in its serial number at top right. Despite missing a corner, this is an appealing error to find on such an early note.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22034 Foldover Error Fr. 238 \$1 1923 Silver Certificate PCGS Very Fine 30.**

A very scarce large size error note with a foldover error in the lower right corner, this note is the from the H plate position, or the bottom note of a 4-subject sheet.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22035 Inverted Back Error Fr. 849 \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An evenly circulated invert which is unique for this Friedberg number, this piece is one of only a literal handful of Burke-Glass inverts known for all Federal Reserve notes combined.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22036 Inverted Back Error Fr. 854 \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Fine 15.**

An evenly circulated example of this \$5 FRN invert error, this offering is one of two known for this Friedberg number and the finer of the pair. The other known example, in a PCGS Very Good 10 holder, sold for \$940 in our 2016 FUN auction. This Philadelphia \$5 just has a few rust stains.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22037 Inverted Back Error Fr. 918 \$10 1914 Federal Reserve Note PCGS Fine 15.**

Unique as an invert for its Friedberg number, this is a pleasing, evenly circulated \$10 FRN from the Cleveland district.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22038 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1504 \$2 1928C Legal Tender Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

We auctioned another Fr. 1504 PMG VF 35 inverted back example for \$1,200 in September, 2019.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22039 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1530 \$5 1928E Legal Tender Note. PCGS Fine 12.**

This is truly a scarce invert on a tough series. This note circulated extensively until someone realized there was a problem.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**22040 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 1934-L \$1 2009 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This is the first of a consecutive pair of Type II \$1 inverts offered here today. A change in the cutting stages beginning with Series 1981A caused all inverted back errors to exhibit the appearance of a massive faulty alignment on the back. These are known as Type II examples, like the error in this lot. The earlier, well centered on both sides inverted back errors are known as Type I examples. The year 2020 saw us auction two inverted back Type II errors that were graded PMG 66 EPQ. The first was a \$10 1985 FRN that realized \$2,400 and the second was a Fr. 2075-D \$20 1985 FRN that realized \$2,280.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22041 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 1934-L \$1 2009 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This is the second in a wonderful consecutive pair of \$1 inverts offered here. A Type II inverted back, this piece is tied with a few others as the highest graded \$1 FRN of this error type to be in our auctions.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22042 Inverted Back Type II Error Fr. 1980-K \$5 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A simply great note, this piece is part of an incredible denomination set of Type II errors offered in this auction. A Type II example from Dallas with a minor stain on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial and also in the top margin of the face. Despite the stain, this is the second finest \$5 Type II inverted back that we have ever offered.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22043 Insufficient Inking of Second Print Error Fr. ????-C \$10 ???? Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The entire first printing of the face is missing from this well preserved Philadelphia \$10.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22044 Second Print Missing Error Fr. ???? \$20 ???? Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This Cleveland \$20 lacks the first face printing which is printed after the back is printed. The overprint is the third printing. This carefully cared for error gives the impression that it was set aside immediately by its original discoverer.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22045 Second Print Missing Error Fr. ???? \$1 ???? Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The first printing of the face was skipped on this Chicago \$1, probably because two uncut sheets of currency stock entered the printing press simultaneously. The upper sheet received the normal printing, while the lower sheet passed through blank.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22046 Insufficient Inking of Second Printing Error Fr. 2175-B \$100 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

PMG notes "Insufficient Inking of Second Print" on this dramatic error, where most of the first face printing is missing, leaving a ghostly appearing portrait of Ben Franklin. This would be a neat error on any note, but it is one which is truly scarce on hundreds.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22047 First Print Missing Error Fr. 1978-L \$5 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This San Francisco \$5 completely avoided the first printing of the back, and went on to its normal second and third printings.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22048 First Print Missing Error Fr. 2022-G \$10 1974 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The entire back printing was missed on this Chicago \$10. This produces a note with an exorbitant amount of embossing on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22049 First Print Missing Error Fr. 2175-E \$100 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The entire back printing is missing on this well preserved Richmond \$100.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22050 Inverted Third Printing Error Fr. 2011-D \$10 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A high grade example, this inverted third printing error is from an earlier FRN series. These types of errors from this series no longer appear with regularity.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22051 Missing Third Printing Error Fr. ? \$1 ? Silver Certificate. PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63.**

A well preserved \$1 Silver, this piece is missing its entire third printing. Only a slender left margin prevents consideration of an even higher grade for this appealing error note.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22052 Missing Treasury Seal Fr. 2176-J \$100 1999 Federal Reserve Notes. Three Consecutive Examples. PCGS Graded.**

An unusual error type for the denomination, each note lacks a Treasury Seal. In numeric order the grades are **Choice About New 58PPQ**, **Choice About New 55PPQ**, and **Choice About New 55**. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22053 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 1910-E \$1 1977A Federal Reserve Notes. Two Consecutive Examples. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A dark third printing on back error is found on each of these well margined Richmond \$1 FRNs.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22054 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 1913-D \$1 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

The third printing is on the back of this pack fresh Cleveland \$1. Our experience shows that PMG seldom bestows grades as high as 67 on this type of error.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22055 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 1915-G \$1 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A hugely margined and well preserved Chicago \$1, this note features a bold printed third printing on its back.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22056 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 1988-J \$5 2001 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A superlative example of the popular third printing on back appears on this Big Head \$5 FRN from the Kansas City district.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22057 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 2123-B \$50 1988 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ★.**

This is a tougher denomination on which to find the third printing on back error. The surfaces are pleasingly original. This near-Gem example has received PMG's "★" designation for exceptional eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22058 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 2123-B \$50 1988 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This is a considerably more difficult denomination to obtain with the third printing on the back. Solid embossing is found on this well preserved \$50 FRN from the New York district.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22059 Third Printing on Back Error Fr. 2171-B \$100 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

This moderately circulated New York \$100 sports a well-linked third printing on its back.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22060 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1905-B \$1 1969B Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Serial mismatch 89736680/89736678 is observed on this B-C block error that is well margined with Gem paper surfaces.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22061 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1975-H \$5 1977A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A three-digit serial number mismatch is seen on this lightly circulated \$5 FRN. It faces up nicely in the holder and has the appearance of a note in a higher grade.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$425**

**22062 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1978-G \$5 1985 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

The first example of this scarce serial number mismatch error to appear in one of our auctions in three years, it is a well margined piece that displays numbers 58584678/58584608.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22063 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 1996-L \$5 2013 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A nice example of a mismatched 0900/0909 serial number errors this example involves the fourth digit. Moderately circulated and problem free, this example provides collectors an opportunity to acquire this great mismatch at a less than four figure price.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22064 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2074-B \$20 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A near perfect example, this elusive 1/0 serial number mismatch is one of the finest we have ever handled.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22065 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2074-B \$20 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A pleasing and original example, this serial number mismatch error features a first digit mismatch.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$625**



**22066 Mismatched Serial Number 9470/9479 Error Fr. 2097-E \$20 2013 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

A mismatched 9470/9479 serial number error that involves the fourth digit. The serial number is certainly less than perfect, but the rest of the note is very close to perfection.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22067 Mismatched Serial Number 9470/9479 Error Fr. 2097-E \$20 2013 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Another example of this mismatch serial number error that came from an ATM inside the Pentagon. It was quickly put aside and saved. Four wide margins, almost perfect centering, and embossing earned this error the high third party grade.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22068 Mismatched Prefix Error Fr. 1935-B \$2 1976 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A H/B-A mismatched prefix error duce, this piece was originally just a single error note on a New York uncut sheet of 32 that was sold unsuspectingly by the Treasury Department in the 1980s.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22069 Shifted Black Portion of Third Printing Error Fr. 1909-K \$1 1977 Federal Reserve Notes. Two Consecutive Examples. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

This pair of near-Gem Dallas \$1 FRNs display a wildly skewed black portion of the overprint on the left side of each note. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22070 Misaligned Overprint, Cutting Error Fr. 2077-H \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Choice About New 55PPQ.**

A D2 plate position St. Louis \$20, this example shows the overprint shifted down and to the left. Therefore, the right serial number is now found partly within the portrait of Jackson.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22071 Printed Fold Error Fr. 2070-H \$20 1969C Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A most impressive foldover error appears on this well preserved St. Louis \$20 which includes a sizeable portion of an adjacent note. The Treasury seal and a district number are printed on the back with part of the seal printed on the adjoining note.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22072 Foldover Error Fr. 2170-D \$100 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A fold over error has obstructed most of the third printing on this near-Gem Cleveland \$100.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22073 Printed Fold Error Fr. 1924-G \$1 1999 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A nice foldover error is found on this Chicago \$1 which has resulted in a portion of the right serial number and Treasury appearing on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22074 Foldover Error Fr. 1908-B \$1 1974 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

As the note from the lower right corner of a sheet of 32, this H4 plate note has a massive lower right corner foldover error.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22075 Foldover Error Fr. 1909-D \$1 1977 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Thanks to a foldover error, the entire left half of the third printing is missing from this well preserved Cleveland \$1.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22076 Fr. 1922-G \$1 1995 Federal Reserve Note Errors PCGS Graded.**

**Pre-Face Print Foldover Error Choice About New 58;**

**Partial Back to Face Offset Errors Choice About New 58PPQ (2); Choice About New 58; Choice About New 55.**

The partial offset error notes are consecutive. The foldover error precedes the other four examples in this lot by 13 serial numbers. The partial back to face offset errors quartet has the offset in the lower left corner. Since notes are printed in descending serial number order, the highest serial has the darkest offset. The foldover error has a large unprinted area on the face and some of the face is printed on the back. (Total: 5 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22077 Gutter Fold Error Fr. 2307 \$5 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 25.**

Several gutter folds are found on this moderately circulated North Africa \$5 that has some stains lightened. Errors of any kind on World War II emergency notes are scarce and always popular.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22078 (Matte) Offset Printing of Front to Back Error Fr. 1934-D \$1 2009 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

This is an example of the much scarcer matte variety offset with the crosshatch inking pattern. The piece in this lot is a 100% extremely dark matte front to back offset and only the third 100% example that we have offered of this particular offset error type. The last 100% example that we auctioned was a Fr. 1932-B \$1 2006 FRN and it too was dark. That error note graded PMG 66 EPQ and realized \$2,640 in September, 2020. The minor non-BEP ink found on this piece is a small blue spot at bottom center.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22079 Offset Printing of Back to Front Error Fr. 2077-G \$20 1990 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A very dark back to front 100% offset is observed on this Chicago \$20.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22080 Offset Printing of Back to Front Error Fr. 2120-G \$50 1981 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

When it comes to errors, this denomination certainly is not one known for countless errors like the \$1 denomination. This is a deep back to face offset error that was plucked from a pack before it could be circulated.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22081 Offset Printing of Front to Back Error Fr. 2121-J \$50 1981A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A Kansas City \$50 with a 100% dark front to back offset, this piece depicts President Grant's portrait hovering over the Capitol's dome. PMG noticed a small tear.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22082 Multiple Printings on Back Error Fr. 2028-A \$10 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PCGS New 62.**

The back of this well preserved Boston \$10 received multiple printings thus creating a rather dramatic error note.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22083 Multiple Back Printing Error Fr. 2028-A \$10 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

The back of this moderately circulated Boston \$10 received a double impression which is readily visible.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22084 Doubled Back Printing Error Fr. 2028-B \$10 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

The entire back of this moderately circulated New York \$10 displays a clear and distinct doubled print error.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22085 Partial Obstructed Printing Error Fr. 1608 \$1 1935A Silver Certificates. Two Consecutive Examples. PMG Graded About Uncirculated 55 EPQ; Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

An obstruction has prevented part of the Treasury seal and right serial number from being printed on each of these early \$1 Silver. This is quite an eye-catching pair of error notes. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**22086 Paper Jam Error Fr. 1980-G \$5 1988A Federal Reserve Note. PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

A plate letter D4 note, this piece is from the bottom row of a sheet that was caught in a paper jam during the overprint phase. This caused the left hand portions of the overprint to be printed near the lower left corner. On the right side, the Treasury Seal is divided unequally into three parts. Folds that help produce an error note are not counted for grading purposes. PMG commented minor ink.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22087 Misaligned Face and Back Printing Error Fr. 2175-B \$100 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A misaligned face and back are seen on this well preserved Big Head \$100 with a portion of an adjacent note seen in each bottom margin.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22088 Cutting Error Fr. 3000-A★ \$1 2009 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ★**

This cutting error happened as the sheet went out of register prior to the cutting process. This note maintains strong embossing with just minor handling. Star errors are scarce and always popular.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22089 Doubled Print Error Fr. 2071-B \$20 1974 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Face plate D110 was used twice to imprint the face on this \$20 FRN. The double print is especially evident on the top half of this near-Gem example of this popular error.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## FEDERAL BOND



### 22090 Fourth Liberty Loan 4 1/4% Gold Bond of 1933-38 \$50 Oct. 24, 1918 PMG About Uncirculated 53.

Coupons 17-40 remain attached to this bond that was a fiscal weapon in the war to end all wars. We auctioned in April, 2018 an another example of this bond with 18 coupons attached in the exact same PMG grade for \$900. The example in this lot sports 24 coupons and should hammer at a higher price.

*From the Peter Jones M.D. Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## LARGE SIZE

## LEGAL TENDER NOTES



### 22091 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.

A bright and fully New Legal ace, this piece has great originality and paper quality, but its slightly skewed margins preclude consideration of a higher grade.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

### 22092 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62.

An example with rich color on the underprint and overprint devices. Much of its original paper wave can be seen as well. A narrow top margin is all that can be held against this otherwise very attractive example.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### 22093 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.

Ideal colors are observed on this very lightly handled \$1 Legal that just has a couple of small stains.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

### 22094 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.

Ideal colors are observed on this pretty example of an early Legal ace whose only detracting factor is a solitary closed pinhole.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$450**

### 22095 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.

An accurately graded example, this piece has wonderfully bright ink and paper colors along with original surfaces. This is the D position note from the sheet with the huge bottom margin sometimes seen on the lowest note.

**Starting Bid: \$425**

### 22096 Fr. 16c \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Extremely Fine 40.

A richly colored example of this relatively newly designated Friedberg number is offered here. Series 260 is observed on the face of this lightly circulated ace which also boasts deep red colors.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

### 22097 Fr. 17a \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Extremely Fine 40.

This is an attractive, lightly handled Ace that is at least three times scarcer than Fr. 16 of this design. This is the variety with the imprint of both bank note companies at bottom center and the ABNCo. monogram at far right center. Original surfaces are easily seen on this pretty note that just has a couple of insignificant rust specks that can only be found after close scrutiny.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### 22098 Solid Serial Number 7777 Fr. 17a \$1 1862 Legal Tender PMG Choice Fine 15.

A Legal Ace with attractive color and a handful of vertical folds, it has sharp corners and clean paper both of which fall into the assigned grade. A note that looks better than the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

### 22099 Fr. 18 \$1 1869 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 30.

A moderately circulated example of the Rainbow Ace, this piece retains great color and solid paper.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

### 22100 Fr. 18 \$1 1869 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.

A moderately circulated Rainbow Ace, this piece retains excellent color for the grade. PCGS Banknote has added a comment about foreign substance.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

### 22101 Fr. 19 \$1 1874 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50.

An attractive ace sporting dark inks and white paper, this is the highest graded Fr. 19 that we have auctioned in almost two years.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



### 22102 Fr. 20 \$1 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

With a nice sharp overprint, this well margined Legal Ace has an overall pleasing look.

**Starting Bid: \$450**



**22103 Fr. 20 \$1 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

What appears to be a pencilled annotation of an old time cost code is visible on the back at lower right of this pretty \$1 Legal. A neat serial number is also observed, although it would be difficult to change the last character in it to a two.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22104 Fr. 26 \$1 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

The colors are exceptional on front and back, with nice embossing still seen through the holder.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22105 Fr. 27 \$1 1878 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Blue anti-counterfeiting color is seen in the paper at the bottom of the note. The colors are ideal for the type, with deeply printed design elements.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22106 Fr. 28 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

The red serial numbers and vibrant large brown seal are perfect against the bright white paper. An ideal note for the grade, if not better.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22107 Fr. 28 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

Embossing defines the stars in the Treasury Seal in the unprinted area on the back of this lightly circulated beauty. This is a new serial number (Z4973743) for the census that fits into a run of mostly 63 and higher graded examples.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22108 Fr. 30 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Overprint embossing abounds on this delightful \$1 Legal. Slightly better centering would have surely raised the note into the Gem category.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22109 Fr. 34 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Bright colors abound on this fully original Rosecrans-Nebeker Legal Ace. With just a bit more top margin, this would be an unquestioned Gem.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22110 Attractive Pair of Legal Tender Aces.**

Fr. 38 \$1 1917 Legal Tender Mule PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

Fr. 40 \$1 1923 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22111 Low Serial Number R22A Fr. 39 \$1 1917 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Vivid color and powerful embossing are highlights of this near-Gem Legal Ace that is further enhanced by low serial number R22A.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22112 Lovely Consecutive Pair of Fr. 39 \$1 1917 Legal Tenders PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ and 64 EPQ.**

This pair features an attractive serial number that starts with four ones, T11110947A to T11110948A.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22113 Fr. 40 \$1 1923 Legal Tender PCGS Very Choice New 64PPQ.**

A bold red overprint and strong embossing are the hallmarks of this attractive \$1 Legal that is only held back from a Gem grade by its centering.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22114 Fr. 41 \$2 1862 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**

An evenly circulated example, this early \$2 Legal has good color and body for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**22115 Fr. 42 \$2 1869 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**

A solid example of this popular Rainbow Deuce with excellent color and problem-free wear is on offer in this lot.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22116 Fr. 48 \$2 1878 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

Vibrant colors, bright paper, and sharp corners add to the eye appeal of this very lightly handled \$2 Legal.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22117 Fr. 50 \$2 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Deep blue serial numbers and a bold red seal are seen on this piece.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22118 Fr. 60 \$2 1917 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Nicely framed, bold and original embossing is still easily seen through the holder.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22119 Fr. 63a \$5 1863 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**

An appealing early \$5 Legal, this offering shows bright paper and good color. The edges have remained sound on this moderately circulated example.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22120 Fr. 63b \$5 1863 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

This is the A position from the plate, which allows it to have an absolutely huge top margin. In this instance, it shows the registration mark, both face and back. The bottom margin, as one would expect, is rather tight, but the note still has great eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22121 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

This is the first Friedberg number for the Woodchopper design. This Rainbow \$5 has light folds. The minor repair has been executed on a tiny internal split that is to the immediate right of the star in the upper right serial number.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22122 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A beautiful VF example of this Rainbow Woodchopper Five, this piece has flashy color that would please any collector of high end circulated notes.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22123 Fr. 65 \$5 1875 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

A lightly handled example, this early Woodchopper signature combination has proven to be rather elusive with 79 examples in the census. This is an appealing note with wonderful color on both sides and ample margins.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22124 Fr. 69 \$5 1878 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

We first auctioned this Fr. 69 Woodchopper in October, 1995 long before it was encapsulated. We described it then as a purely original example. Today, it carries the EPQ grade modifier. A partial plate number is at top center.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22125 Fr. 69 \$5 1878 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

An unusually vividly printed example of this Woodchopper Five, this note has great color on both face and back.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22126 Fr. 81 \$5 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A well margined early Woodchopper note, this example displays great original embossing, and an unusually seen extreme sharpness of print quality.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22127 Fr. 91 \$5 1907 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A clean and original example, this popular Woodchopper Five exhibits excellent color.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22128 Fancy Serial Number Fr. 91 \$5 1907 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62 EPQ.**

Serial number K70777777 adorns this well embossed \$5 Woodchopper. While low serial numbers seem to be pretty common, large fancies like this are scarce.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22129 Fr. 91★ \$5 1907 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

While this is easily the most available star note for the entire Woodchopper series, it is less often seen in the higher grades. This offering is one of the finer survivors with its bold red overprint contrasting nicely with its bright, white paper.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22130 Fr. 92 \$5 1907 "PCBLIC" Error Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

This Friedberg number is outnumbered by Fr. 91 at a rate of almost 10 to 1. Because of that, this number enjoys somewhat of a premium. This example, with the popular "PCBLIC" engraving error, is bright and nicely margined with prominent embossing seen through the holder.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22131 Fr. 114 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Fine 15PPQ.**

A decent circulated example of this first signature combination of this ever-popular type, this note retains its bold red overprint and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22132 Fr. 115 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 25.**

An appealing mid-grade representative of this better Friedberg number. This Bison displays solid margins, bright paper, and a rich red overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22133 Fr. 120 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 25.**

The red seal and serial numbers are bright on this moderately circulated Bison that, according to PMG, has had a couple of minor repairs.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22134 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 30.**

An excellent color Bison, this piece is evenly circulated. Its beauty has earned a comment free third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22135 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Very Fine 25.**

An attractive mid-grade example of this popular type note, this example still displays a bold red overprint.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22136 Fr. 122 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

A bright example of the last signature combination for the Bison series, this piece still retains great color and solid paper.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22137 Fr. 122★ \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.**

A well circulated example, this scarce Bison star is one of just 56 replacement notes recorded for this Friedberg number. It does have some repairs and minor rust stains, but retains decent color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22138 Fr. 133 \$20 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Fine 15 Net.**  
Less than thirty examples make up the current population for this Bruce-Wyman signed issue. Some stains and a tear have been noted by PMG.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**



**22139 Fr. 140 \$20 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**  
The paper remains bright and the inks bold on this attractive Legal Tender note with even, problem-free wear and original surfaces. It represents a better Friedberg number for this design, as there are only 100 serials in the latest census.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22140 Fr. 147 \$20 1880 Mule Legal Tender PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
A nice example of this \$20 Legal for the grade, the note has bright colors and good margins. It also represents the Mule variety with John Burke Back Plate Number 52 in the Mule position.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

## SILVER CERTIFICATES

**22141 Fr. 216 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.**  
A great looking and well-margined Martha Ace is offered in this lot. The paper is bright and attractive, with bold colors.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22142 Fr. 217 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
A bright, well margined, and sharply inked example, this less frequently seen Small Red Seal Martha just has some light folds.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22143 Fr. 222 \$1 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
Full margins, sharp colors and a lack of hard folds give this example the eye appeal of a higher graded note.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22144 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55.**  
Wide margins and excellent color are observed on both sides of this very lightly handled Educational ace.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22145 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Choice About New 55.**  
Ample margins are observed on both sides of this very lightly handled Educational ace that retains all of its original ink colors.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22146 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 53.**  
A perfectly centered \$1 Educational within balanced margins, the note features face to back registration that is oh so close to being right on the money, too. Add in the ideal inks and white paper, and this example is a rival in appearance to many Uncs.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22147 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
Light wear is seen on the surfaces of this iconic \$1 Educational that is well margined and deeply inked.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22148 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
A well margined and only lightly circulated example of the always popular \$1 Educational, this piece exhibits nice color on both face and back along with a six-digit serial number.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22149 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**  
An always popular Educational Ace, this example faces up beautifully for the grade and displays excellent color and original paper surfaces.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22150 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Very Fine 30.**  
Nicely margined, this note is exactly what one would expect from a 30. This design has been in the top five for popularity since the beginning of currency collecting.  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22151 A Well Margined-High Grade Pair of Black Eagles.**  
Fr. 226 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate **PMG Choice About Unc 58**, and a Fr. 236 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate **PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ** are offered in this lot.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 2 notes)*  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22152 Fr. 226a \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
Full frame lines are noted on this pleasing Gem. The embossing and bright white paper are perfect.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22153 Fr. 226a \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
Embossing of the serial numbers and pleasing paper wave are noted through the third party holder of this near-Gem Lyons-Roberts Black Eagle.  
**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22154 Fr. 226a \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

This pretty Black Eagle Ace of the series below serial number variety has bright paper surfaces and ideal color.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**22155 Fr. 228 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Punch-through serial number embossing is combined with natural paper wave and ideal inks on this lovely Black Eagle.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22156 Fr. 228 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

Bright colors highlight this well preserved Vernon-Treat Black Eagle. The original embossing is easily seen.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22157 Fr. 231 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

The rarest by far of the signature combinations of Black Eagles (229a is rarer, but it is a minor variety). This Napier-Thompson signed note is generally found well circulated or as a high grade, low serial number courtesy autographed piece. This is a normally numbered piece that features just light circulation and retains original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$450**



**22158 Low Serial Number D951D Fr. 231 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**

A pleasing mid-grade example from the scarce Napier-Thompson signature combination, this piece is well margined with bright paper and good color. This Black Eagle also has the added feature of low three-digit serial number D951D.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22159 Fr. 233 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A well preserved Teehee-Burke Black Eagle, this piece displays dark inks, natural paper wave, and strong embossing of the serial number.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**22160 Fr. 234 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An attractive and fully original Black Eagle, this piece represents a slightly better Friedberg number for this design.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22161 Fr. 235★ \$1 1899 Mule Silver Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

This is an attractive mid-grade Black Eagle mule star that displays bright paper and pleasing color. John Burke back plate number 6004 is present in the mule position.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22162 Fr. 236 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

A graceful paper wave and serial number embossing provide this note with full Gem eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**22163 A Trio of Stunning 1923 \$1 Silver Certificates**

Fr. 237 PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ,

Fr. 238 PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ,

and a Fr. 239 PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22164 Matching Near Solid Serial Number 74444444 Fr. 237 \$1 1923 Silver Certificates PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely pair of Speelman-White \$1 Silvers from the A-D and R-D blocks, each note sports an identical near-solid serial number of 74444444. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22165 Two Near Solid Serial Number Fr. 238 \$1 1923 Silver Certificates PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

A crackling fresh pair of Woods-White \$1 Silvers, these notes bear the near-solid serial numbers 31111111 and 72222222. Both notes are from the Z-D block. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22166 Changeover Pair Fr. 237/Fr. 238 \$1 1923 Silver Certificates PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

Both of these well margined XF examples show light handling. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$250**

**22167 H. T. Tate Courtesy Autographed Fr. 239 \$1 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

H. T. Tate is one of the rarest Treasury courtesy autographs, as we have auctioned only two other examples, both of which are small size Red Seal deuces. Tate autographed this note vertically at far right. The host note is by far the scarcest of the three signature combinations for this type and would be a popular lot even without the all important autograph. This well preserved example is only held back from a Gem grade by a slender bottom margin.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22168 Fr. 246 \$2 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**

A bright and well printed Windom Deuce, this piece has had a minor repair, according to PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**



**22169 Fr. 251 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Lovely margins and deep embossing are seen on this 1899 \$2 Silver.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22170 Fr. 255 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**  
A lovely example, this bright, well inked Agricultural deuce shows no discernable evidence of circulation in its third party holder.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22171 Fr. 256 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**  
A pretty Agricultural Deuce, this piece appears fully uncirculated and has blazing ink colors and bright white paper.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22172 Fr. 258 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
This lovely Silver Certificate is one slightly broader (bottom) margin away from an even higher grade, having many of the other attributes such as original paper surfaces, centering, and embossing.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22173 Fr. 258 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
This lovely Silver Certificate is one slightly broader (top) margin away from an even higher grade, having many of the other attributes such as original paper surfaces, centering, and embossing.  
*From the Randy Best Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22174 Fr. 258 \$2 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**  
An exceptionally nice About Uncirculated note, this example has full and even margins all around and nice embossing that is visible through the holder.  
*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22175 Fr. 266 \$5 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**  
An evenly circulated example of this popular two number type, this piece bears the scarcer signature combination. It has solid paper for the grade with four nice margins and pleasing corners.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22176 Fr. 277 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.**  
A very nice Chief note that displays a bold blue overprint, nice margins, and original surfaces, this piece is sure to please its new owner.  
**Starting Bid: \$400**



**22177 Fr. 281 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**  
A handsome Speelman-White Chief note, with ample margins, vivid color, and traces of embossing.  
**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22178 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**  
This attractive Porthole note was in circulation for a period of time, but fortunately escaped any real damage during its journeys. The evenly circulated paper retains some brightness without any heavy fold lines. The colors remain bold with a minimum of soiling. If you are collecting large size type in nice circulated condition then this may be the note for you.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22179 Fr. 293 \$10 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Fine 12.**  
This is the much tougher 1886 Tombstone type with the Early Back design. Nice color is observed on this circulated example that just has a minor internal tear.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22180 Fr. 294 \$10 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Fine 12.**  
Even wear and good remaining color are found on this early Tombstone note that represents a better Friedberg number for this type. It is one of just 84 serials recorded for this number and made its last public appearance in a 2013 auction.  
**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22181 Fr. 300 \$10 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**  
A moderately circulated Tombstone note, this piece displays pleasing color for the grade. PMG has mentioned a minor repair which is not readily apparent.  
**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22182 Fr. 321 \$20 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Fine 15.**  
Certainly well circulated, but this note is free of problems and has a wonderful overall appearance for the assigned Fine 15 grade. A much more elusive type, this is the denomination at which the majority of type collectors terminate their quests.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

## TREASURY NOTES

**22183 Fr. 347 \$1 1890 Treasury Note PCGS Very Fine 30PPQ.**  
A well margined, evenly circulated example of this Stanton Ornate Back \$1, this piece exhibits excellent color and retains original surfaces.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**



**22184 Fr. 349 \$1 1890 Treasury Note PMG Extremely Fine 40.**  
A bright, sharply inked Stanton Ace, this example has nice margins and just a few light folds. These 1890 Treasuries are very popular with collectors in high circulated grades.  
**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22185 Fr. 351 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**  
Quite near the full Gem grade, the margins are just a touch shy of what one would want to see in a Gem. The original embossing is easily seen and the ink colors are 100 percent perfect. A very nice Stanton Treasury ace.  
**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22186 Fr. 351 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**  
The corners remain sharp on this boldly printed Stanton ace, indicating that this note spent very little, if any, time in circulation, other than acquiring a few light folds.  
**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22187 Fr. 352 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

The margins on this Gem are rarely found any larger, as the designs printed on the sheet left little paper between each plate position. This piece is boldly printed with perfect paper wave and full embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22188 Fr. 352 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PCGS Very Choice New 64PPQ.**

The Series 1891 Treasury Notes all come from the B-★ block, where the star does not represent a replacement note, but rather serves as a printer's embellishment mark to signify the end of the serial number. This is the final Friedberg number for the \$1 Coin Notes. This near-Gem example features wonderful color and fully original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22189 Fr. 352 \$1 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The slightly slender bottom margin is likely the culprit that necessitated the 64 EPQ grade, as the note is fully Gem in all other respects. The print quality is ultra sharp and all of the colors are perfect.

**Starting Bid: \$500**



**22190 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

A very attractive McPherson Deuce, this piece displays vibrant color and just a few light folds. This pretty note has earned the accolades "Exceptional Paper Quality, Great Embossing" from PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22191 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

A bright, well margined example of this McPherson Deuce, this piece retains pleasing color and original surfaces.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22192 Fr. 357 \$2 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A most pleasing Coin Note, this example features a most stoic engraved portrait of General James Birdseye McPherson in his Union uniform. It certainly faces up nicely in the holder. At first glance it appears to be a much higher grade.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22193 Fr. 361 \$5 1890 Treasury Note PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

A nice collector grade note is offered here. These Small Seal 1890 Treasury notes are quite scarce in the mid-circulated grades.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES

**22194 Fr. 712 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Blazing ink colors and almost Gem quality paper surfaces are the traits of this appealing New York FRBN.

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**22195 Fr. 718 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Three digit serial number D492A graces this perfectly margined Gem. The embossing is solid, and the colors are exceptional.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22196 Fr. 718 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A fully margined Cleveland ace, this piece is adorned with three-digit serial number D369A.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$250**



**22197 Fr. 730 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

A lovely St. Louis FRBN ace, the offering has clear paper originality, excellent margins, and bright colors.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22198 Fr. 738 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

From the Kansas City district, this FRBN has good embossing and a bright blue seal.

**Starting Bid: \$200**

**22199 Fr. 739 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Notes Three Consecutive Examples PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

Serial number embossing is observed on this similarly graded Kansas City trio with plate letters D, A, and B in serial number order. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22200 Fr. 739★ \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Very Fine 20.**

A pleasing mid-grade example of this very scarce FRBN star, it is one of just ten pieces in the census and exhibits just even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22201 Fr. 745 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

The original embossing is readily visible on this well margined and sharply inked San Francisco FRBN.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22202 Cut Sheet of Four Fr. 745 \$1 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Notes PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A cut sheet of like graded San Francisco aces with plate letters A, B, C, and D, this is the first cut sheet on Fr. 745 that we have been able to offer. (Total: 4 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22203 Fr. 748 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

This is by far the scarcest of the three signature combinations for Boston Battleships with only 86 serials listed in the latest census. This is a bright and original example with just a couple of light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$500**





**22204 Fr. 749 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG About Uncirculated 50 EPQ.**

This lightly handled Boston Battleship deuce exhibits bright paper and deep ink colors, with only minimal traces of circulation.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22205 Fr. 749 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

This well embossed and fully framed Battleship exhibits perfectly original and bright paper.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22206 Fr. 767 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

Bright, fresh, and original high-end VF Battleship notes such as this mid-grade example will always be popular with collectors. This pretty note displays excellent color and even wear.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22207 Fr. 769 \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Fine 15.**

This \$2 St. Louis displays its share of circulation, but the surfaces remain problem free. With only 37 examples in the census, it is among the scarcer Friedberg numbers for the design.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22208 Low Serial Number D1001A Fr. 785 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

An attractive and boldly printed FRBN, this piece bears a "mini-radar" and "binary" serial number of 1001.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22209 Fr. 796 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A pleasing mid-grade example, this piece is from the St. Louis district.

**Starting Bid: \$350**

**22210 Fr. 807 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Very Fine 25.**

A moderately circulated example of this scarce Dallas Five, this offering is housed in a comment free holder. It is one of just 34 pieces in the latest census for this Friedberg number.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22211 Fr. 809 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Fine 15.**

A new addition to the census of this scarce Friedberg number, this offering is not only just the twentieth piece to be reported, but also bears a new high serial number for Fr. 809 survivors. This offering displays decent color and just honest wear.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22212 Fr. 809a \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Very Fine 20.**

Fr. 809a is an intriguing "error" note which William Philpott wrote about almost 60 years ago. He states that the plate date of May 18, 1914 was found on all other Federal Reserve Bank Notes, save from those issued by the San Francisco district. All of which, regardless of denomination or year of issue, bore the date of May 20, 1914. It remains unknown whether the engraver of this 1918 \$5 note was correcting what he perceived to be an earlier error (the Fr. 809 San Francisco \$5 note has the same signatures as Fr. 809a, but the May 20, 1914 date) or whether the San Francisco Fed officials were instructed to correct their errant plate date to conform with notes from every other district. The result was a short-lived issue that remains quite scarce in all grades today with this evenly circulated example a new addition to the census of a mere 21 pieces.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

## FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES

**22213 Fr. 837b \$5 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

A bright and original example of this scarce Atlanta Red Seal, this piece has only 73 serials in the census. The bold red overprint contrasts nicely with the bright, white paper of this pretty note.

**Starting Bid: \$400**



**22214 Fr. 847a \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely example of this Boston \$5, this piece is tied for the finest graded by PMG. While it represents a common Friedberg number, it is certainly not common at this grade level.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22215 \$5 Boston; \$10 Kansas City; and \$20 Minneapolis 1914 FRNs PMG Graded.**

**Fr. 847a \$5 Uncirculated 65 EPQ;**

**Fr. 940 \$10 Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ;**

**Fr. 999 \$20 Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

All three notes exhibit paper originality.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection (Total: 3 notes)*

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22216 Fr. 851a \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely example, this type note has good margins, excellent centering, and great embossing.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22217 Fr. 851c \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A pretty type "c" New York Five, this piece is well embossed and has enough margins for the full Gem grade.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22218 A. W. Mellon Courtesy Autographed Near Solid Serial Number 63333333 Fr. 871c \$5 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A near-Gem example of this better "c" variety FRN, this note has the additional appeal of both having been autographed by Treasury Secretary Andrew W. Mellon above his facsimile signature and also carrying a near-solid serial number of 63333333.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22219 Fr. 895b \$10 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Four healthy margins frame this nicely printed piece. The overprint is bold and perfectly vivid. Some closed pinholes are noted by PMG, but are hardly a distraction from the overall eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$300**

**22220 Fr. 978★ \$20 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

One of the better examples of the 20 replacement notes recorded in the Track & Price census for this Friedberg number, this is a bright, well printed example to which PMG has assigned its ubiquitous comment of thinning.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22221 Fr. 1038 \$50 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 30.**

This is a tougher Friedberg number for Cleveland \$50s. The offered example exhibits even wear and good color. PMG has added a comment about stains, but they are not readily apparent.

**Starting Bid: \$250**



**22222 Fr. 1046 \$50 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A few light corner folds seem to be responsible for the assigned 58 grade. This Atlanta district \$50 Fed has super margins and strong color.

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**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22223 Fr. 1110 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 30.**

Nice margins are observed on this bright, mid-grade \$100 from the Chicago district. The appealing design on the back features allegorical representations of *Labor, Plenty, America, Peace, and Commerce*.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22224 Fr. 1112 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 25.**

A well-margined and nice looking St. Louis \$100, this piece is quite attractive for the grade. Fewer than 120 serials are recorded for this better Friedberg number.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22225 Fr. 1124 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

An attractive example of this scarce Dallas \$100, this piece is a new addition to the census of only 62 serial numbers reported. It has bright paper and good color for the grade along with just a few small ink stains on its back.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

## GOLD CERTIFICATES

**22226 Fr. 1172 \$10 1907 Gold Certificate PMG Uncirculated 62.**

Nice color is observed on both face and back of this slightly better Friedberg number for the \$10 Golds. However, evidence of a previous mounting is also found on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22227 Fr. 1172 \$10 1907 Gold Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

Although it was previously mounted, this is a very pretty example of this \$10 Gold that appears new within its third party holder.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22228 Fr. 1173 \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Bold embossing and vivid colors are noted on front and back.

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**22229 Fr. 1173 \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PCGS Choice New 63PPQ.**

Embossing of the serial numbers adorns this \$10 Gold. The year 2020 saw us auction three different PMG 63 EPQ examples that realized prices of \$960, \$960, and \$1,020.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

**22230 Fr. 1173 \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

The color is simply as good as it gets on this pretty 1922 Gold Certificate that appears new in its PMG holder.

**Starting Bid: \$350**



**22231 Fr. 1178 \$20 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**

Charming color is observed on the evenly circulated surfaces of this \$20 Gold. A minor repair has been noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22232 Fr. 1178 \$20 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**

Charming color is observed on the evenly circulated surfaces of this \$20 Gold. Some trimming of its margins has been noted by PMG.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22233 Fr. 1178 \$20 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**

Healthy margins are evident on this well inked example. The paper surfaces remain intact and the note displays an overall pleasing appearance.

**Starting Bid: \$450**





**22234 Fr. 1183 \$20 1906 Gold Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ.**

Excellent color and original paper surfaces are characteristics of this \$20 Gold that saw very limited circulation.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22235 Fr. 1186★ \$20 1906 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 20 Net.**

One of only a dozen stars for this number that are listed in the Track & Price Census. We have now auctioned four of this type dating back to 1990. Minor repairs are mentioned on the back label. We see a few small edge splits that have been sealed.

**Starting Bid: \$600**

**22236 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Beautiful color and excellent paper originality are noticed, though the note lacks the EPQ designation. Slightly tight top and bottom margins and broad margined at the sides are still attractively balanced, framing the design, granting a very nice overall appearance.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22237 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Uncirculated 62.**

We see natural paper wave plus dark inks on this pretty \$20 Gold that can compete with higher graded notes. Upon close examination, a few tiny edge tears and pinholes can be found.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22238 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice About Unc 58.** Blazing colors on both sides highlight this pretty \$20 Gold Certificate. It has tons of eye appeal, and shows virtually no traces of handling. While it did not receive PMG's EPQ designation, they did add the comment "Great Color" to the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$450**



**22239 Fr. 1187★ \$20 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

The paper on this replacement note is bright and complements the deeply inked design elements. A nice mid-grade note to add to your star collection.

**Starting Bid: \$625**

**22240 Fr. 1187★ \$20 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**

Deeply printed design details and a vivid overprint make this \$10 Gold replacement note appear a bit nicer than the grade suggests.

**Starting Bid: \$400**

**22241 Fr. 1193 \$50 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Very Good 10.**

A tougher signature combination for this design, it has Silas Wright, the 14th governor of New York on the left. A well circulated example, the \$50 Gold does have a few tears but retains nice color for the grade.

**Starting Bid: \$375**

**22242 Fr. 1199 \$50 1913 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 20.**

\$50 Gold Certificates are not that common. This example is representative of the type and grade with even wear and good color.

**Starting Bid: \$500**

**22243 Fr. 1200 \$50 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**

Four ample margins with bold orange ink on both sides make this an attractive mid-grade, problem free example Grant Gold.

**Starting Bid: \$450**

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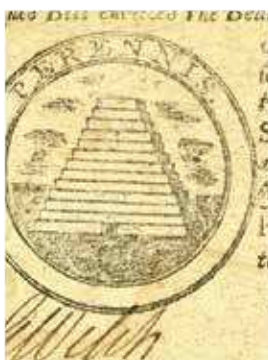
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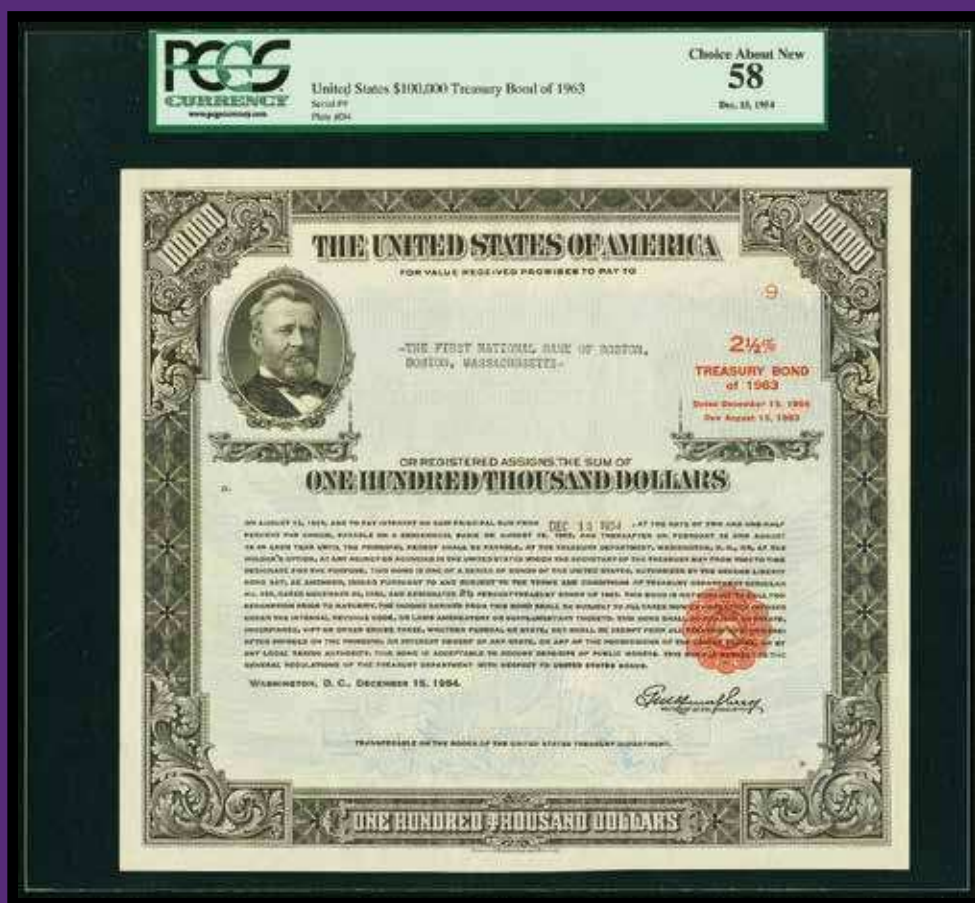
## \$20 Spanish-American War Coupon Bond

**21001 \$20 Spanish-American War 3% Coupon Bond of 1898 Hessler X188G Very Fine.**

This is the smallest denomination for this patriotic coupon bond issue. It is given Hessler's highest rarity rating of R8, a mere one to three known. We know this is not the case since we have sold a number of these. This attractive example has its full complement of eighty 15¢ coupons. The bond has some light folds, with perhaps a little tone at the edges, but nothing too distracting. It has been able to retain both paper originality and nice color. When offered for public sale, these are always in the running for a five-figure price realization. A great numismatic collectible from the war that propelled the United States into a global power.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**





## \$100,000 Treasury Bond Serial Number 9

### 21002 Serial Number 9 \$100,000 United States Treasury Bond Dec. 15, 1954 PCGS Choice About New 58.

One of the few \$100,000 bonds available to collectors and for less than face value, this bond's storied history reveals why it is unredeemable. A very small number of bonds were purchased by the First National Bank of Boston and stored in its branch vault in Havana. Soon after Fidel Castro solidified his power in Cuba, the bonds were rendered worthless by the United States Treasury and reissued "in absentia" to the First National Bank of Boston. How and when the original bonds made their way out of Cuba remains a mystery, but they represent a tiny numismatic treasure for collectors to appreciate and study. This example, with just a trace of handling near the top edge, will be a highlight of any collection that it enters.

**Starting Bid: \$4,500**

## LARGE SIZE

## DEMAND NOTES



Charming Fr. 2 Ex-Amon Carter

**21003 Fr. 2 \$5 1861 Demand Note PCGS Banknote Choice VF 35 Details.**

This Philadelphia example has an illustrious provenance as it was once owned by Amon Carter and was plated in early editions of Gene Hessler's *The Comprehensive Catalog of U.S. Paper Money*. We have offered it before; the first time was as part of the Jim O'Neal Collection in May, 2005. We would like to point out that the margins are incredible for the type, the colors are absolutely perfect, and the note has dark signatures. Also, this \$5 was lightly folded into eighths with three vertical and one center horizontal fold giving it the impression of a higher grade at first glance. Minor restorations are mentioned on the back label. There is an insignificant closed pinhole near the upper right corner that only unveils itself when the note is "candled" before a light source. Overall, it is a great example of this undervalued design.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





Attractive and Original Fr. 3 \$5 Demand Note

**21004 Fr. 3 \$5 1861 Demand Note PCGS Very Fine 20PPQ.**

A very respectable, well margined, boldly signed Boston District \$5 Demand Note. Track & Price indicates 115 examples are known, but many of them are either low grade or have a litany of flaws. This offering, however, is a small miracle of survival in that with the amount of circulation, it has no problems whatsoever and retains original surfaces. The paper used was thin and weak. Consequently, edge tears, holes, etc. are nearly ubiquitous on this type. A solid note that will certainly please its new owner.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Ex-Grinnell Fr. 6 \$10 1861 Demand Note

**21005 Fr. 6 \$10 1861 Demand Note PMG Fine 12.**

PMG has two comments on the back label, "Ex Grinnell" and also split repairs. Besides once being part of the famed Grinnell Collection that was auctioned in the 1940s, this note was plated in the early Limpert reference. It was also part of the Thomas Flynn Collection that we auctioned in April, 2008. The note itself is far nicer than the assigned Fine 12 grade. Both penned signatures are strong, the colors of the note are excellent, and the margins are generous everywhere save for the bottom left end. Fr. 6 is a rare number with only 50 documented pieces known in all grades combined. The highest graded piece in the Track & Price Census is an impaired PCGS 45, and this attractive mid-grade 12 is actually well in the top half of the known pieces.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Attractive Fr. 7 1861 \$10 Demand Note

**21006 Fr. 7 \$10 1861 Demand Note PMG Very Fine 25.**

There are only four dozen known examples of this Ten Dollar Philadelphia Demand Note according to the most recent Track & Price census. This one is well up in the grade census and features terrific color, strong pen signatures, and excellent eye appeal. PMG mentions a restoration, but nothing is readily apparent on this pleasing mid-grade example of a very scarce early Demand Note. Without question one of the most appealing examples we have offered for the issue in this grade.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**

## LEGAL TENDER NOTES



Gem Unc 66 PPQ Fr. 28a \$1 Legal

**21007 Fr. 28a \$1 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.**

A recently discovered sub-variety where "Series of 1880" is found in the top margin at center on the back and the BEP imprint is located in the back bottom margin. Friedberg 28 notes have the series date in the back left margin and the BEP imprint is found in the back right margin. Very few Fr. 28a pieces have been documented, and "Fr. 28a" should be included in the next edition of the Friedberg reference. This is easily the finest example we have seen of this new variety, and the only CU piece. As one would expect for the assigned grade, it is a well margined, wholly original, beautifully bright note.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**





Appealing PMG Gem 66 EPQ Fr. 31 \$1 Legal Tender

**21008 Fr. 31 \$1 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A really lovely example of the scarce Large Red Seal, Blue Serial Number type, this is the finest example of this scarcer Friedberg number to appear at auction in over seven years. Just about 175 examples of this number are known, hardly any of which could equal this apparently pristine piece which was last on the market in a 2010 auction. The embossing can be seen through the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Tied for Finest Graded at PMG

**21009 Fr. 43 \$2 1874 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A lovely deuce, this piece is well centered within balanced margins. It is the highest PMG third party graded example to participate in our auctions. A look at the *PMG Population Report* explains why, as they have graded a mere five Fr. 43 notes equal with none higher. Only one of those other five has changed hands at auction recently. Its serial number is just 20 digits removed from our current offering and realized \$5,520 in 2020. Look for our current offering to seriously challenge, if not surpass that figure.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection.*

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Scarce Fr. 53 Deuce with Excellent Color

**21010 Fr. 53 \$2 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

One of the scarcer Friedberg numbers for this design that includes Fr. 43 through 60. Track & Price has documented 54 different Fr. 53 examples. The piece in this lot is listed in T&P without a grade as it did not previously have any auction appearances. However, further research uncovers the fact that it did show up on a fixed price list in 1982. Our inspection of this plate letter D note notices an almost full 59 plate number at top center plus excellent color. It does have a minor restoration that is well hidden, but overall it is an attractive XF 45 with light handling that is hard to see.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Bright and Flashy Fully Gem 1863 \$5 Legal

**21011 Fr. 63a \$5 1863 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This type was printed on extremely thin, brittle paper, and any example without edge splits, like this beautiful piece, can be considered rare. With its perfect paper, lack of splits, ideal color, and fresh, bright paper, this note has earned every point of its assigned PMG 66 EPQ grade. Last on the auction block in a 1996 Stacks sale, this gorgeous \$5 Legal is just about as nice an example as any collector could hope to acquire.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**





### Striking Rainbow Woodchopper

#### **21012 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

The colors are striking on this clearly original Rainbow Woodchopper that dwells within a PCGS first generation holder. It is a certainty that Fr. 64 \$5s in the 67 grade will never be anything but rare. This is borne out by the last two offerings of PCGS 67PPQ examples. January, 2018 saw our gavel fall on a winning bid of \$10,800, and then, a different Fr. 64 achieved a price of \$13,800 in 2019. Before those two auctions, one would have to go back to January, 2012 for another offering of this number in the 67 grade by a major grading service.

**Starting Bid: \$6,000**



### PMG Gem 65 EPQ 1869 \$5

#### **21013 Fr. 64 \$5 1869 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An attractive Rainbow \$5 with brilliant colors, full margins, and exceptional paper quality, this example is from a scattered run of Fr. 64's that has supplied Gem pieces to the collector community for many years.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Choice Uncirculated 1862 \$10 Legal Tender

**21014 Fr. 93 \$10 1862 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63.**

A colorful example bearing the more elusive First Obligation on the back. Collectors today are fortunate that a small run of these were saved many years ago. Nothing above the 63 grade level has been offered at auction since PMG and PCGS began grading in 2005.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Nicely Preserved PMG 64 EPQ Rainbow \$10

**21015 Fr. 96 \$10 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A nicely preserved Rainbow \$10, this example lives up to its colorful nickname with its attractive blue, green, and red inks on the face. Both serial numbers are also thick with red ink. An excellent example for the grade, this is the first time for it to be in an auction since 1998. We have not offered a Fr. 96 in this third party grade since January, 2019 when a PCGS 64PPQ example realized \$7,200. Also, the last PMG 65 EPQ piece that we auctioned fetched \$13,200 in September, 2020. That 2020 result gives this quality 64 EPQ note a lot of bang for the buck.

**Starting Bid: \$3,500**





## The Only Fr. 102 Graded Superb Gem 67 by Either Service

### **21016 Fr. 102 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

This note is from the run of about 40 pieces that has supplied virtually all of the known Uncirculated notes of this number. While many are nice, this piece is truly exceptional, displaying ideal color, letter perfect centering, and a freshness to the surfaces that imparts the impression of the note having just been printed. We've handled more than our share of Fr. 102s, including many of the nicest pieces, but none have exhibited the combination of color, freshness and centering of the note that is offered here tonight. It easily deserves its assigned grade, and remains the only Fr. 102 to achieve the 67 grade from either service. A marvelous note fit for the finest of collections.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



## Striking 67PPQ Fr. 107 \$10 Legal

### 21017 Fr. 107 \$10 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.

A striking, well preserved example, this piece achieved its lofty grade as a result of its full margins, excellent color, and paper originality. Track & Price does not list any Fr. 107 notes with a third party grade higher than the piece in this lot. The last Fr. 107 that we offered in this third party grade was graded by PMG. A look at our archives tells us that it was just eight serial numbers removed from our current offering and realized \$6,600 in January, 2018. Quality is always in demand, and we look forward to this \$10 taking direct aim at that earlier figure.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





## Fresh and Original Bison in Superb Gem

### 21018 Fr. 114 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.

A drop-dead gorgeous example of the earliest Bison Friedberg number. The colors are typical for a Fr. 114, with the serial numbers slightly more orange than the bold red "X" counter and Treasury Seal. Pronounced original embossing is easy to see on the back through the encapsulation. Two other important traits noticed are huge margins and ideal centering. PMG has graded six Fr. 114 notes at the 67 EPQ level with none higher. A closer look at the entire Bison design reveals that PMG has graded almost 4,000 Bisons of all Friedberg numbers combined and has certified only 19 at the Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ level, with not a single piece graded higher. Importantly, the latter figure has increased only by two since we offered this beauty in January, 2012. Also, our most recent experience with this Friedberg number in this exact PMG grade realized \$22,200 in January, 2020.

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**



**Boldly Embossed 65 EPQ Bison**

**21019 Fr. 114 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An exquisite Gem from the first Friedberg number for 1901 \$10 Legals, this is a plate letter D example with three wide margins. Its stark white paper and ideal inks give the impression that it was just printed. The back displays bold embossing of the overprint, especially of the upper serial number. It is a new note for the census and slips right in with a run of other high grade Fr. 114 notes. Any discouraging words concerning this Gem Bison would be highly inappropriate.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



**Gorgeous PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ Fr. 119**

**21020 Fr. 119 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

A truly lovely Bison in every respect, this note displays incredible color, broad, even margins, easy-to-see deep original embossing, and spectacular eye appeal. Friedberg 119 is also a better number for the design. Both major grading services combined have graded only six others as equal, with just one a single point better. The last example we sold at this grade level realized \$17,625, over five years ago.

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**





Lovely PMG Graded Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ Bison

**21021 Fr. 119 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A brightly colored Bison, this offering is replete with easily seen paper originality and exceptionally vivid inks. A new addition to the census, the note is fully worthy of the assigned Gem 65 EPQ grade and is certain to please its fortunate new owner.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



Bright Gem 1901 \$10 Bison

**21022 Fr. 120 \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A true Gem example with clearly evident embossing, this note is a new addition to the census. The colors are bright and the margins even. The note displays every attribute that its Gem 65 EPQ designation demands.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



Finest Offering in Nearly Five Years

**21023 Fr. 120★ \$10 1901 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 50.**

Full margins frame the design on this rare Star Note. The overprint is especially bold here, bright and unmuted by time. Just one other replacement for this Friedberg number has been offered in the last 5 years. This example is represented by about a dozen survivors, much rarer than the Fr. 122, which has a 2018 realization for an AU example just inside of five-figures. There are some muted stains noted by PMG, but they do not affect the overall eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$6,000**



Gem 1923 Legal Tender from Near the End of the Run

**21024 Fr. 123 \$10 1923 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

This lovely note is just twenty serial numbers away from the end of the 696,000 note print run. Quite a number of examples from the final pack exist in top grade, but not many are the equal of this bright, flashy, and vividly printed fully original beauty.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**





Brightly Inked 1923 \$10 Legal Tender

**21025 Fr. 123 \$10 1923 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A lovely example of this popular type note, this offering is highlighted by four sharp corners. The bright white paper on this near-Gem is ideal with full embossing and deeply printed colors complementing it. The Bureau of Engraving and Printing produced a mere 696,000 \$10 Legal Tenders for the 1923 Series, all of which were released into circulation. Fortunately for collectors, this piece from near the end of the run was quickly put aside after nearly a seven decade run for the \$10 Legal Tender denomination.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



Lovely 1863 \$20 Legal Tender Note

**21026 Fr. 126b \$20 1863 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A lovely early Legal with great eye appeal and vivid colors, this offering has only a bit of margin tightness along the top. This note comes from a run from which the great majority of notes have been called Choice New in sales over the years.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



Eye-Catching PMG 64 1869 \$20 Rainbow

**21027 Fr. 127 \$20 1869 Legal Tender PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Rainbows are always eye-catching and this problem-free example is no exception, with its bright colors and crisp paper. Moreover, the margins are broad for the issue. The back carries the Arabic numeral 20 105 times and the Roman numeral XX 103 times. The solid star at the end of the serial number does not signify a replacement note, but is a printer's embellishment mark to designate the end of the serial number. We last sold a PMG 64 with comments for \$22,206.00 in September of 2019. This piece, with its deep blue anti-counterfeiting swath, should do a touch better.

**Starting Bid: \$12,500**





Lovely 1869 \$20 Rainbow

**21028 Fr. 127 \$20 1869 Legal Tender PMG Uncirculated 62.**

Some closed pinholes account for the grade on this otherwise lovely Rainbow \$20 that exhibits good color throughout. It faces up quite nicely and has the look of a note in a higher grade. Whenever these are offered in the Uncirculated grade they tend to generate considerable interest.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**



Gorgeous Fr. 129 \$20 Legal

**21029 Fr. 129 \$20 1878 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.**

A gorgeous offering, this example showcases the deep blue anti-counterfeiting stain and bold, bright red overprint of the type. This cataloger has always been charmed by the tiny cherubs worked into the two red "XX" overprints, and on this note they are particularly clear and easy to see. This \$20 is also printed on the same watermarked USUSUS paper that was used for Fourth Issue Fractional notes. This piece also has a partial plate number at top center. The last Fr. 129 that we offered in this third party grade was a PMG 66 EPQ piece in January, 2019 that realized \$7,800. In conclusion, we have in this lot a very high-end example of a handsome type.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Well Margined Large Round Red Seal 1880 Twenty

**21030 Fr. 135 \$20 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A simply lovely example of a Large Round Red Seal 1880 Double Sawbuck. The centering is ideal and the colors of the inks and paper are virtual perfection. A very, very nice piece of currency.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Pristine 1880 \$20 Legal Tender

**21031 Fr. 142 \$20 1880 Legal Tender PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A more pristine example of the \$20 1880 Legal Tender would be hard to find. The note is well centered, vibrant, and attention grabbing. According to PMG and PCGS databases, this note is one of four notes that have been graded at this level with none higher.

**Starting Bid: \$4,500**





Fr. 155 - One of Only Ten Examples Known

**21032 Fr. 155 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**

One of the rarest Friedberg numbers for the Ben Franklin \$50 Legal design, this newly discovered piece bumps the population figure to a paltry ten serial numbers in Track & Price. This is a very nice representative for the VF 20 grade, and occupies a comment free third party holder. None of the folds are harsh, and they are spread out along the note making for one evenly circulated \$50. The most recent Fr. 155 to cross our auction block was a PMG 25 with a minor repairs comment which brought \$24,000 in January, 2019 on an estimate of \$12,500-up. Tonight's comment free example should make a strong run at that two year old figure.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



Beautiful Brown Seal Fr. 161 \$50 Legal Tender

**21033 Fr. 161 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This is a beautiful representative of not only this Friedberg number, but also the type. We last offered this note 12 years ago. Before that, this note's provenance stretched back to the celebrated James M. Wade Collection that was sold by Aubrey Beebe in a fixed price list in 1956. This \$50 is now in a "66" holder and no wonder, due to its broad, even margins, perfect, flawless color, and deep original embossing. This note is also from the short run that has supplied collectors with almost all of the high-grade examples of this type. PMG has graded only three higher than our current offering. The last high grade Fr. 161 that we auctioned was a PCGS 66PPQ piece only ten serial numbers removed from our current offering. It realized \$30,000 in June, 2020. We see the comparable \$50 in this lot at least reaching that figure, if not exceeding it.

**Starting Bid: \$12,500**





### Gem Unc 65 PPQ Fr. 164 - The Sole Certified Gem Example

#### **21034 Fr. 164 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PCCS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.**

Fr. 164 is represented in the Track & Price census by 250 notes—very few of which are at the upper end of the grading scale. In fact, neither PMG nor the “old” PCGS has ever graded an example of this Friedberg number at the Gem level. It has been almost ten years since a 64-graded note has appeared at public sale. This lovely new-to-the-census piece most certainly deserves its assigned Gem grade. It features wide margins all around, wonderful color, and pristine paper surfaces. A fantastic note for the ultimate Large Size Type collector.

**Starting Bid: \$20,000**



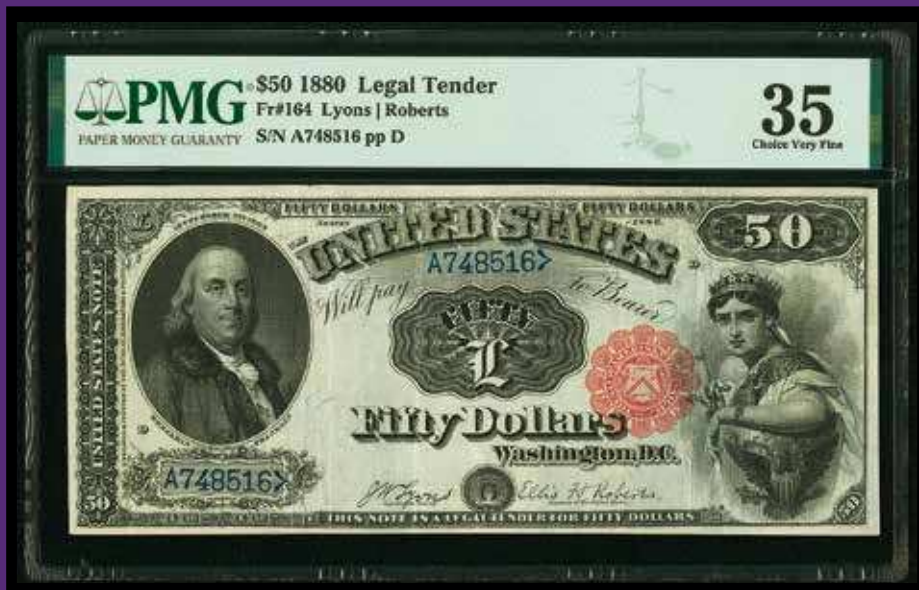
Lightly Handled 1880 \$50 Legal Tender

**21035 Fr. 164 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

This Friedberg number has always been disproportionately weighted to the low end of the grading census. Even with a census total of 250 pieces, only two Uncirculated notes have been graded, one from each service: a 63 by PCGS and a 64 by PMG. This offering is the fourth highest example known and is alone at the 53 level. Fifteen years into the acceptance of third party grading, these population report totals are taking on some real meaning. It is very unlikely that this piece will be replaced as the fourth-finest-known in the foreseeable future.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Handsome High End Very Fine \$50 1880 Legal

**21036 Fr. 164 \$50 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

Full margins and bright paper are the hallmarks of this popular large denomination note featuring Benjamin Franklin. Very Fine examples of this type in problem-free condition do not appear on the market with any regularity.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





### Exceedingly Rare \$100 Spread Eagle

#### 21037 Fr. 167b \$100 1863 Legal Tender PCGS Fine 15.

From our 2015 Newman auction where it was described, "In 2006, we sold a beautiful example of this very rare Friedberg number. At the time it was believed to be unique, with no precise information about the note ensconced in the Eric P. Newman Collection available. Surprisingly, his example was this rare variety, Fr. 167b. It is distinguished by a few factors: the Act of March 3, 1863 date; the second of two obligations printed on the back; a single serial number; and finally the imprint of a single printer, the National Bank Note Co. As the second of only two examples known, its rarity is reason enough for this piece to be a cornerstone of any advanced Large Size type note collection. Aside from the technical differences in the early \$100 Legal Tender Notes, one can appreciate why it is one of America's most popular type notes. The widely recognized vignette at left features the heraldic Spread Eagle, engraved by Joseph P. Ourdan, hence the notes' nickname. The historical importance of the eagle's depiction reflects the tumultuous times in which it was issued. Students of numismatic art will notice that the posture of the country's national bird often corresponds with times of war and peace. Engravings of the bald eagle with spread wings on coins and currency are commonly seen at times of conflict; during times of relative peace, the eagle is used less often, is shown in flight (Saint Gaudens Double Eagle reverse), or perched (Indian Head gold coin reverse engraved by Bela Lyon Pratt). The eagle on this example is still remarkably bold for the grade. The "Spread Eagle" \$100s are quintessentially American and have been coveted by numismatists for decades. Even wear is noted, and despite some minor issues, this piece will be a welcome addition to a fine cabinet.

*Ex: Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society."*

**Starting Bid: \$30,000**



## Great Fr. 171 Paper Money Rarity - Only Twelve Available for Collectors

### **21038 Fr. 171 \$100 1878 Legal Tender PMG About Uncirculated 53.**

A great paper money rarity, this example sports the highest serial number of the 17 enumerated in Track & Price. Plus, it has earned the second highest grade of that select few. Five of those 17 are locked away in government and institutional collections leaving a measly dozen Fr. 171 pieces for collectors to compete for. This plate letter D \$100 was first brought to auction in 1974. Since then it has crossed our auction block twice, in November, 1992 and January, 1997. The centering is skewed with the margins ranging from large to small on both the face and back. This centering has left a partial plate number 2 at top center, while along the edge at far upper right is the frame line from the note that it was once adjacent with on its original sheet. This Friedberg number is seldom available, and this is the first Fr. 171 to make an auction appearance in over seven years since a PCGS Apparent VF 20 with edge restoration example realized \$25,300. Tonight's offering is seven third party grades higher, with minor repairs nicely executed on the right extreme corner tips. Therefore, it may take a six digit bid to bring this wonderful \$100 Legal home.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$37,500**





Scarce 1880 \$100 Legal Tender - One of Ten Known

**21039 Fr. 173 \$100 1880 Legal Tender PMG Very Fine 20.**

A very scarce Friedberg number with just ten pieces recorded in the Track & Price census. More importantly, with the exception of this piece, there have been no examples offered above the Fine-Very Fine grade in almost 15 years. This rare \$100 Legal maintains attractive color for the grade, although it has had some repairs and a small area of discoloration on the back.

**Starting Bid: \$6,000**



Attractive Fr. 179 1880 \$100 Legal Tender

**21040 Fr. 179 \$100 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A rare note, the population figure as reported in Track & Price is just 26 examples, but we know that eight of those serial numbers are in the Federal Reserve Bank collections of either Philadelphia, Dallas, or San Francisco. This is a delightful piece with a superior appearance for the grade. Through the third party holder, the bright, white paper and vibrant color on both face and back are clearly visible. Minor restorations mentioned on the holder are indeed minor and include two repaired small right edge tears. A further statistical look uncovers the fact that of the Fr. 179 notes in Track & Price that are available to collectors, our current offering comes in with the fifth highest grade.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**

## COMPOUND INTEREST TREASURY NOTE



### Brightly Bronzed Comment-Free \$10 Compound Interest Treasury Note

#### 21041 Fr. 190b \$10 1864 Compound Interest Treasury Note PMG Very Fine 25.

Compound Interest notes were issued to help finance the Civil War and were redeemed for their face value, plus accrued interest after being held for three years. To aid in their identification, each received a bronze surcharge stating that it was a COMPOUND INTEREST / TREASURY NOTE / 10. This example carries no comments, which is not typical for the issue. The all important bronzing has retained its color.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



## SILVER CERTIFICATES



### Finest Offering in Three Years

#### **21042 Fr. 219 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.**

Just one other example of this Friedberg number has been offered in this grade in the last half-decade. In that time span, nothing finer has appeared at auction. The colors here are bold, with incredibly nice embossing visible through the holder. With offerings this nice only every few years, we expect this example will easily set a new price level.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Attractive Fr. 220 Gem Martha Ace

**21043 Fr. 220 \$1 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.**

Only 4% of all Marthas are Fr. 220 examples according to Track & Price. Also, only 2% of the 4% are graded Gem 65 or higher for this number according to the same source. In fact since 2010, only one other Gem Fr. 220 piece has crossed the auction block. The wonderful plate letter A PPQ example in this lot is a perfect type note for the collector looking for not only grade, but also rarity for their collection. Merits of this attractive Gem Martha ace that should be seriously considered by potential bidders are its ample margins that encircle all four sides, its sharp corners, white paper, and ideal inks. Our instincts instruct us that in order to win a note of this quality, purse strings will certainly need to be loosened.

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**



Superb Gem New Educational Ace

**21044 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

The 67PPQ grade speaks volumes. There is no need to single out the individual attributes of this note, because every positive feature that the number speaks to is present. The really high grade Educational Aces tend to be 65s and 66s, without about a hundred and thirty graded at those two levels. 67s are far rarer, with only about two dozen having been graded by PCGS and just a single 68 above that.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





Superb \$1 Educational

**21045 Fr. 224 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Wide and balanced margins, ideal centering of both sides, perfect colors, and easily seen heavy original embossing are all merits of this essentially flawless Educational Ace. This has always been one of the most popular types with collectors, and no collector could ever be dissatisfied with this technically perfect piece. This note has definitely earned its Superb grade.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Gorgeous PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ \$1 Educational

**21046 Fr. 225 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

A gorgeous example of the more challenging Bruce-Roberts signature combination of this popular design, this offering features beautiful margins and embossing. The two major grading services combined have graded only four examples at this level, with none higher. A note at this grade level has not crossed the public auction block since 2011, providing a great opportunity for today's generation of collectors to acquire a Superb example of this Friedberg number. Bruce-Roberts signed Educationals are six times scarcer in this grade than Tillman-Morgan signed notes.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ Fr. 225

**21047 Fr. 225 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Another gorgeous, high end example of this better signature combination for the always-in-demand Educational aces. It is a glorious One Dollar Educational, with broad, even margins, ideal centering of both sides, perfect color of the inks and paper, and deep original embossing. This type is a perennial favorite among collectors, and on technical merit as well as eye appeal, this one ranks among the best.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Superb Fr. 225 Educational Ace

**21048 Fr. 225 \$1 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Another very high-end Educational ace with the Bruce-Roberts signature combination, this note made its last public appearance in our 2010 ANA auction. Like the other two Superb-graded Fr. 225s in this auction, this pretty note has broad even margins, perfect color, and great eye appeal.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**





PCCS Superb Gem New 67PPQ Black Eagle Star

**21049 Fr. 230★ \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PCCS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

A beautiful example, this is one of only three pieces to be graded at this level by PCCS, with one higher. That lone 68 was sold by us in 2013 for \$22,325. This well embossed and pack fresh replacement note has been off the market since our September, 2007 auction. No examples above the 66 level have been available in more than five years.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Pristine Gem Fr. 231 Black Eagle

**21050 Fr. 231 \$1 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

An utterly pristine example, this scarcer Napier-Thompson Black Eagle has vibrant color and wonderful margins. It also possesses natural paper wave that includes strong embossing. PMG has graded 103 Fr. 231 examples, with only six higher. This is the only Fr. 221 at the 65 third party grade level to appear at auction since 2013. James C. Napier and Carmi A. Thompson served together from November 22, 1912 to March 31, 1913. This short four month stint led to the creation of several rarities across the paper money spectrum.

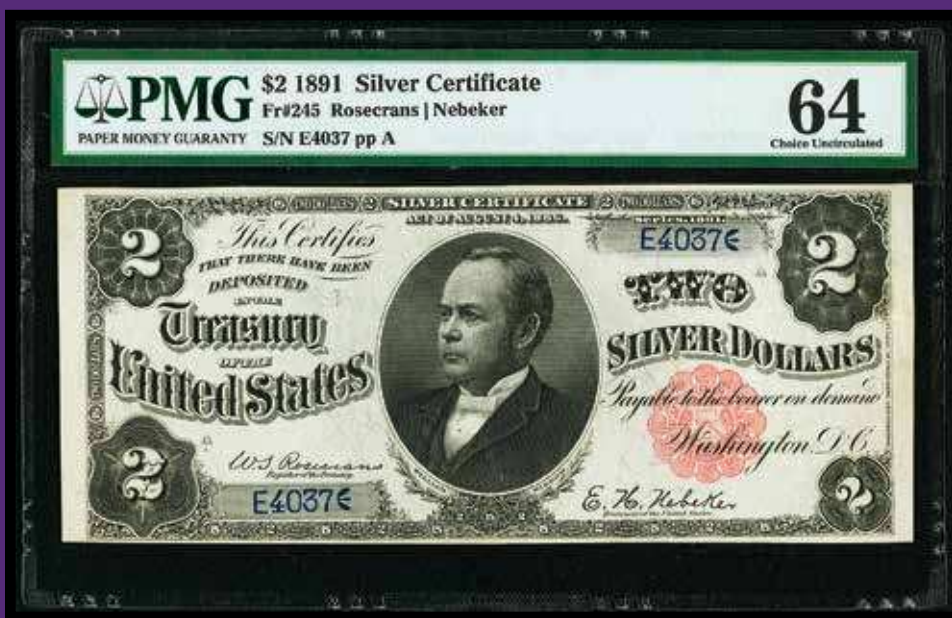
**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



## Elusive 1899 \$1 Black Eagle Reverse Changeover Pair

**21051 Fr. 236/Fr. 235 \$1 1899 Silver Certificates Reverse Changeover Pair PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ and Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**  
 This is the lone example of a Black Eagle reverse changeover pair we have ever offered. The pair's last appearance was in 2015 when these notes both resided in PCGS holders. They sold then for \$15,275.00 and we see so no reason why this possibly unique pair of consecutive notes shouldn't approach that total again in their new encasements. The notes are pack fresh with strong embossing and vibrant inks noticed throughout. (Total: 2 notes)  
**Starting Bid: \$7,500**





Attractive Windom Deuce

**21052 Fr. 245 \$2 1891 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

An attractive Windom deuce with great color and paper quality, we have not seen this piece since our May, 1991 St. Louis auction. This pretty note would likely have received the coveted EPQ designation if not for a couple of closed pinholes. Windom served as a United States Representative, a U.S. Senator, and was twice Secretary of the Treasury, before dying in office in 1891. He was so well regarded that this note memorializing him was issued within months after his passing.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Lovely Superb Gem New 67PPQ \$2 Educational-Tied for Finest Graded by PCGS

**21053 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

A super quality Educational Two, this piece exhibits spectacularly bright color of the paper and inks. The original embossing is easily seen, and the margins range from large to huge on all four sides. A lovely example of the middle note from the series, this type is considered by most all collectors to be the most beautiful in U.S. currency. New to the census, it also has the added feature of low three-digit serial number 281.

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**



Attractive Gem Educational Deuce

**21054 Fr. 247 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A most pleasing example of this always popular design type. Excellent centering, bold colors and razor sharp print quality propel this note to the full Gem grade. The last example we sold at this grade level realized \$8,400 in our 2018 FUN auction.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



PCGS Superb Gem 67PPQ Fr. 248

**21055 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

An impeccable example showcasing pristine, untouched surfaces, deep, original embossing, and picture-frame margins all around on both sides. This ultimate Two Dollar Educational is one of the nicest pieces we have ever handled. Examples are truly scarce as a perfect Superb Gem, in spite of its availability in Choice or even Gem grade. PCGS has graded just one piece a single point finer than this beautiful example, but that lone 68 note has not been seen since an auction appearance almost 15 years ago.

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**



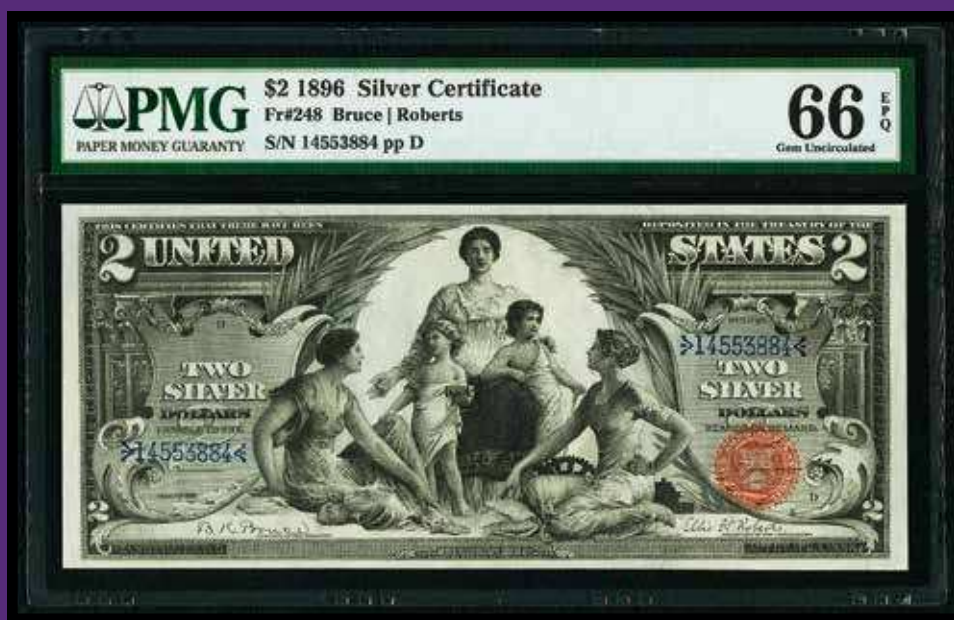


Near Superb 1896 \$2 Educational

**21056 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An enticing example of the popular type that leaves little to be desired, even at this lofty grade level. This well-inked Educational \$2 is framed by four broad margins and tipped with four razor-sharp corners. It was a pleasure to catalog when it last appeared on the market in our 1995 FUN auction and it still is today. Our most recent offering of an identically graded example occurred in our recent FUN auction where another piece brought \$12,600.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



PMG 66 EPQ Educational Deuce

**21057 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An impeccably centered, fully original and perfectly bright note, this piece carries PMG's Exceptional Paper Quality endorsement. The colors are as fresh as the day this pretty note was made. Last on the market in our 1995 FUN auction, this premium piece is sure to get some serious bidder attention.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



Near-Perfect 1896 \$2 Silver Certificate

**21058 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A near-perfect example of this popular design, the note features the vignette, *Science Presenting Steam and Electricity to Industry and Commerce* which was designed by Edwin H. Blashfield with engraving by Charles Schlecht and G.F.C. Smillie. Original paper, great margins and strong contrasting colors are benchmarks of this beautiful Deuce. Any collector would find this to be a Gem in their collection.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



Lovely Educational Deuce

**21059 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ★.**

A lovely, broadly margined Educational Two with original embossing that can be easily seen through the third-party holder. The note has not only earned PMG's "Exceptional Paper Quality" comment but also its "★" designation for exceptional eye appeal. Fr. 248 was always thought to be scarcer than 247 in high grade, but the grading service results of the last ten years indicate a census in high grade that is somewhat tilted toward the Fr. 247 as the scarcer of the two. In any event, not very many Educational Twos of either number are as nice as this.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**





Gorgeous 65 EPQ \$2 Educational

**21060 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A gorgeous \$2 Educational with serial number embossing observed in the back unprinted area at left. The color is superb on this broad margined example that is from a run of similarly graded documented pieces. Our last three offerings of PMG 65 EPQ Fr. 248 notes occurred in 2020. They all realized prices in the \$10,800 to \$12,000 range. There is much value at the 65 grade level for this Friedberg number as the 66 grade in our auctions last fetched \$18,000 in September, 2020. With all that in mind, we see a continuation of prices realized in the new year within the above stated range.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Long Held Gem \$2 Educational

**21061 Fr. 248 \$2 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Our consignor purchased this note at our September, 2001 auction which was our first under the Heritage umbrella. We catalogued it then as, "Margins, color, print quality, and originality "make the grade." Two Dollar Eds are, in our opinion, underrated as true Gems. There are many examples, to be sure, that are fully Uncirculated, but few have the combination of color, margins, and paper originality of this note." Nineteen years later, PMG agreed with our condition report as this plate letter A deuce was able to earn a 65 EPQ grade. In our experience, quality never falls out of fashion.

Starting Bid: \$5,000 148029HP



## Rarely Seen Uncirculated Fr. 261 "Silver Dollar Back"

### 21062 Fr. 261 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

The Series 1886 \$5 Silver Certificates are iconic in numismatics due to their famed "Silver Dollar Back" design which features 5 Morgan Silver Dollars: one obverse flanked by two reserves on each side. Between attrition and redemption, survivors are few, especially compared to Morgan Silver Dollars. Four solid and even margins frame the design on both sides, with exceptional color noticed at every turn. The census reveals Uncirculated examples of this Fr. 261 are far less prevalent than for the other 1886 \$5 Silver numbers. The *PMG Population Report* shows only three examples finer than this magnificent piece. It bears noting that those three PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 examples all lack the coveted Exceptional Paper Quality designation. If you fancy a screaming Gem note for type, either Fr. 263 or Fr. 267 will enable prospective bidders multiple opportunities every year.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**





### Spectacular Fr. 262 Silver Dollar Back

#### **21063 Fr. 262 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A much scarcer Friedberg number with only about 100 examples known in all grades combined, compared to over 300 Fr. 261s and almost 375 Fr. 263s. Only a handful of 262s are Uncirculated and no Gem-level examples have been publicly offered in over five years. This 65 EPQ example, which is new to the census, has photographic-like clarity to its engraving as well as extraordinary color and boldly original, easily seen embossing. The last PMG 65 EPQ to cross the auction block appeared in our 2013 Central States auction where it fetched \$32,900. **Starting Bid: \$12,500**



Gem 65 Silver Dollar Back \$5 Silver

**21064 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 65.**

We last entertained this Gem at our September, 1997 Cincinnati auction. It has near perfect centering on the face within balanced margins and a very close to perfect face to back registration. Other characteristics of this Silver Dollar Back are its white paper, ideal inks, and natural paper ripple from the drying process that is best seen in the back left margin. It also comes from a short run of high grade Fr. 263 examples. Close inspection fails to reveal a reason for the lack of a Premium Paper Quality grade modifier. Nonetheless, it remains a beautiful note.  
**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Entirely Original Fr. 263 Silver Dollar Back

**21065 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

A charming \$5 Silver, this piece crossed our auction block twice before it was third party encapsulated. The first time was in our very first auction in St. Louis in November, 1990 and the second was at our Memphis, 1994 auction. We were able to inspect it in hand both times and our descriptions included, "fresh and original" and "bright with original surfaces." We still agree with those observations, and PMG does too as this note has rightfully earned its EPQ grade modifier. We were able to offer two other PMG 64 EPQ pieces in 2020. Those two examples realized \$8,700 and \$10,800.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





Nicely Margined 1886 \$5 Silver Certificate

**21066 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

This note, originally intended as a memorial to President Ulysses S. Grant who died in 1885, features the popular Silver Dollar Back design as well as the showy large brown spiked Treasury seal. Printed on bright paper, the note has good color, wholesome margins, and nice centering.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



Near-Gem 1886 \$5 Silver Certificate

**21067 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

A wholesome note printed on bright paper, the note has good color and is only held back from a Gem grade by a slender bottom margin. This popular note was originally intended as a memorial to President Ulysses S. Grant. The large Brown Seal on the face and Silver Dollar Back design combine to deliver exceptional eye appeal.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



PMG Choice 63 EPQ Silver Dollar Back

**21068 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

The famous "Silver Dollar" back graces this design that represents the earliest use of "In God We Trust" on our nation's paper money. This bright and original example features excellent color on both face and back.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Popular \$5 Silver Dollar Back

**21069 Fr. 263 \$5 1886 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63.**

This is the first auction appearance in many years for this \$5 Silver Dollar Back as far as we can ascertain. It is not listed in Track & Price, but it does fall within a serial number range that has supplied collectors with Uncirculated examples for years. The paper is white and the inks are ideal on both sides. Both President Grant's portrait and the five silver dollar back vignette could not look nicer. The last Fr. 263 that we auctioned in this third party grade was a PMG 63 example that realized \$6,600 in April, 2020. Also, we have seen a steady increase in the winning bids for this Friedberg number at this third party grade level dating back to April, 2017.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**





## Electric \$5 1896 Silver Certificate

**21070 Fr. 268 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

The Educational Series is one of if not the most popular currency series. Although a \$10 was designed, the highest denomination that was in circulation was the \$5. With only three notes grading higher, according to the Track & Price Census, this note has great margins, pristine paper quality, and amazing contrast of colors. This is the perfect note to highlight any Educational Series collection.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**



## Immaculate \$5 Educational

**21071 Fr. 268 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

The \$5 Educational design is one of the most appreciated in terms of its artistic quality, though its edge to edge complexity often hides important attributes common to only high grade notes. In this particular case, the design does little to overshadow the bold embossing and bright, fresh paper. The inks are deeply printed and still finely detailed, with a cherry red seal at bottom left falling off the note. Collectors have been afforded few Superb Gem offerings of this Friedberg in the last couple of years, with the three most recent examples all topping the \$30,000 mark.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**





Boldly Printed PMG Graded Gem 66 EPQ \$5 Educational

**21072 Fr. 268 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A gorgeous Educational Five, this offering features bright paper and razor-sharp printing. Long considered the penultimate in U.S. currency design, the central design motif comes from a painting by Walter Shirlaw entitled *Electricity Presenting Light to the World*. If a quality \$5 Educational Note is what you are looking for, your search has just ended with this lovely example that is crossing the auction block for the first time. In our recent FUN auction, we sold an identically graded note for \$14,400.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



Gem \$5 1896 Silver Certificate

**21073 Fr. 268 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The design on the front, featuring *Electricity* personified at center holding a lighted bulb illuminating several other allegorical figures, was adapted from a painting by Walter Shirlaw. The back of the note with its portraits of Ulysses .S. Grant and Philip H. Sheridan was done by a collaborative team of G.F.C. Smilie, Lorenzo Hatch, and T.F. Morris. This note is totally fresh and fully original, with good margins, and color as bright as the day the note was made. These are so immensely popular that demand continually outstrips supply. This piece is as nice as any at this grade level.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



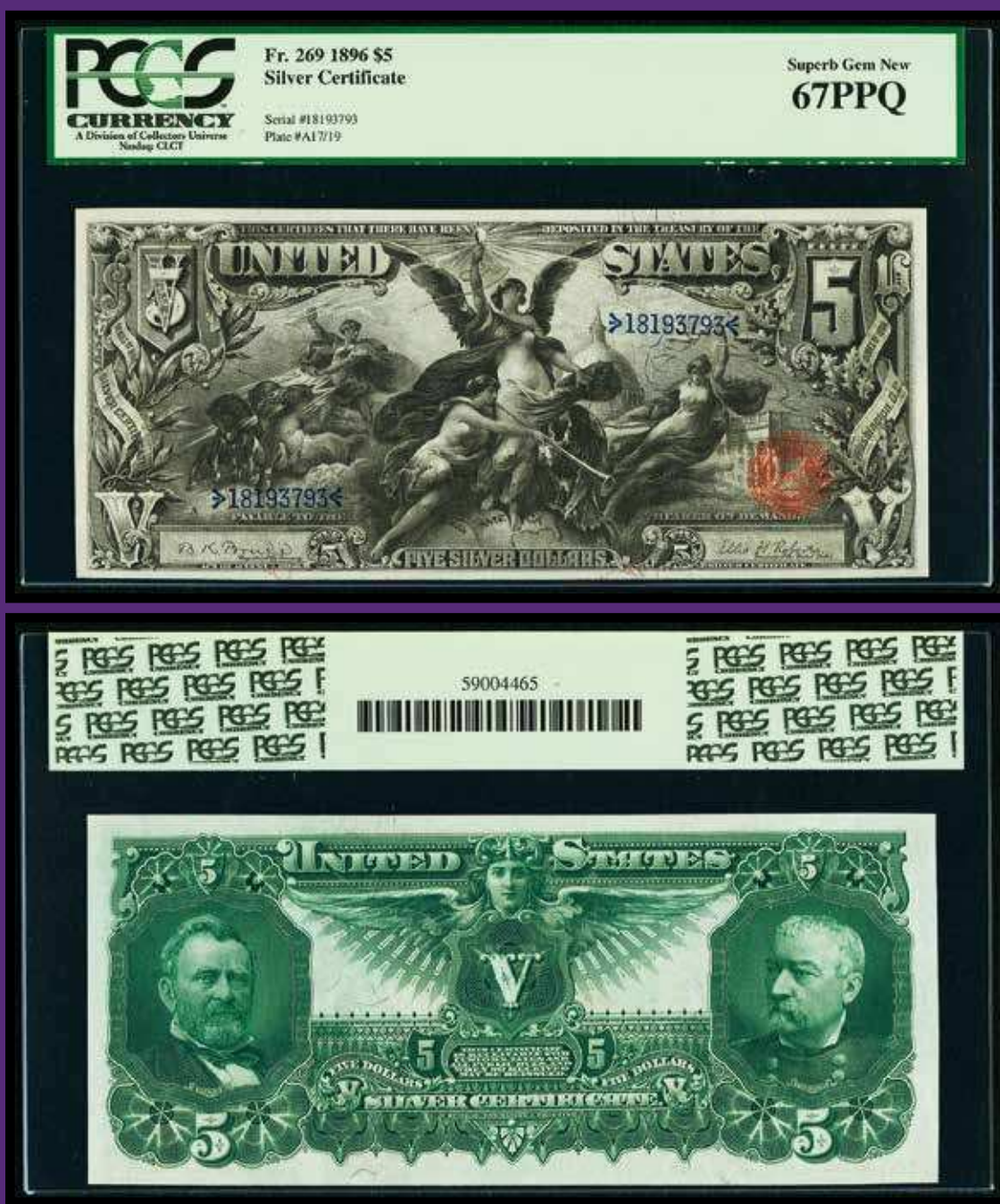
## Choice \$5 Educational

### 21074 Fr. 268 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A nicely margined Educational Five with strong ink color and lots of eye appeal. PMG has not awarded this piece its coveted "Exceptional Paper Quality" comment but it is, nonetheless, a very attractive note. This type is considered by most to be the single most alluring design in all of US currency and one look at this note confirms this.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**





Tied for Top Grade at PCGS - Bruce-Roberts 1896 \$5 Ed

**21075 Fr. 269 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

The \$5 Educational Series note certainly needs no introduction, with its detailed panoramic face vignette of *Electricity Presenting Light to the World* and attractive green back design honoring Ulysses S. Grant and Philip Sheridan. Add in excellent registration and margins, great color, and original paper surfaces - what is not to like? Like virtually every other note in this auction, this note is right at the top of the condition charts. In this case, it is tied with three others as the finest graded by either service according to Track & Price.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**



Fr. 269 PMG 65 EPQ

**21076 Fr. 269 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A gorgeous example of the most elegant of all US currency designs, one which has long been the favorite of both novice and advanced collectors alike. The colors are bold and sharp, the originality evident through the PMG holder, and the margins fully balanced and broad enough to easily justify the Gem 65 EPQ grade. In our recent FUN auction, we sold an identically graded example for \$16,800.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Popular \$5 Educational Design PMG 63

**21077 Fr. 269 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

It has been over four years since we last offered a Fr. 269 in this PMG grade. This design always scores high in popularity with collectors, and that maxim was reinforced as fact when it achieved a ranking of number five in Q. David Bowers and David Sundman's *100 Greatest American Currency Notes* reference. Both sides of this note are almost completely filled with engravings, as the center of the face depicts *Electricity Presenting Light to the World* and the back commemorates Civil War Generals Grant and Sheridan. The gentlemen had passed away in 1885 and 1888 respectively.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





### Gorgeous About New \$5 Ed

#### **21078 Fr. 269 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

While we do not doubt the accuracy of the assigned 55 grade, this note certainly represents great value if it sells for the About Uncirculated price. It is well-margined, beautifully printed, and whatever factor has led to the About Uncirculated grade is utterly invisible through the holder. This is precisely the type of note that many collectors focus on. It carries the full visual impact of a Perfect Gem at well less than half the cost.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



## Superb Gem Fr. 270 \$5 Educational

### 21079 Fr. 270 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.

Considering how often the terms “pinnacle of American banknote engraving” and “most beautiful piece of American currency” get thrown around while describing the Series 1896 \$5 Educational Silver Certificate, one could easily become jaded. One glimpse at this note, though, slices through the seemingly impenetrable hype that surrounds this type and forces one to stop and appreciate its beauty and appeal. With extra large margins, crisp inks, and strong embossing, this note leaves nothing to be desired. It is not surprising that this is one of just two pieces graded at this level by PCGS and one at PMG, with none finer. This is a truly great type note that is worth whatever it takes to bring it home tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**





Choice Uncirculated 64 \$5 Educational

**21080 Fr. 270 \$5 1896 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

Track & Price has recorded over 2,600 \$5 Educational serial numbers, but fewer than 20% are Fr. 270 notes. Friedberg 270 is the scarcest \$5 Educational number by count, but in high grade, it is disproportionately even scarcer. The PMG 64 piece in this lot comes right up to the very edge of the full Gem grade. The margins are more than ample with the wide top and bottom margins owing their existence to this \$5 being a plate letter A note. The year 2019 saw another Fr. 270 in the exact same PMG grade realize \$9,900. Look for this beautiful example of the engraver's art to seriously challenge that figure.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



PCGS 67PPQ Fr. 273 Tied for Top-Pop at Both Services

**21081 Fr. 273 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Tied at the top of the population reports at PCGS with just two other notes, and a sole example at PMG, this is a simply spectacular piece worth whatever it takes to bring it home. It represents a tougher Friedberg number for the Chief design. A PMG Gem 66 EPQ example realized \$10,800 in our 2019 Long Beach auction.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Stellar Superb Fr. 274 Chief

**21082 Fr. 274 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 68 PPQ.**

One of the highest third party graded Chiefs you will ever find and a delightful beauty to behold. Excellent color on both sides kick off this well preserved \$5 Silver's wonderful traits. Other traits observed are full margins, punch through embossing of both serial numbers, and even more embossing behind both the large blue "V" counter and the Treasury Seal. Track & Price lists only one Fr. 274 at this extremely high grade level by a major grading service and the note in this lot is that one. Also in Track & Price, not a single 67 for this Friedberg number is graded by a major grading service. We originally auctioned this Chief in April, 2014 and it went for \$28,200 that night. As estimates do not always come easy, we would not be surprised if our estimate tonight is woefully inadequate for this stellar example. This note has been considered special for so long, that a winning bidder had the foresight to keep the paper coin flip auction tag from a November, 1954 Aubrey Beebe auction. Beebe graded it "G. Unc" then. That auction tag is included with this lot. (Total: 2 items)

**Starting Bid: \$17,500**





PMG Gem 66 EPQ Fr. 275 Chief

**21083 Fr. 275 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

An exceptionally bright example of this popular Chief note, this piece is well margined with vivid ink colors. Every example we have sold over the past several years at this grade level has realized over \$6,000.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Serial Number K16 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG 66 EPQ

**21084 Low Serial Number K16 Fr. 275 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A spectacular looking Chief, this note displays ideal margins, fully bright colors, and the low serial number K16. Although there are a fair number of low serial Chiefs known, they seldom reach public sale. This one is a real beauty, with original embossing and fantastic eye appeal. It was last on the market in our famous Secaucus, New Jersey auction in September of 1996 where it sold as part of a cut sheet. In our recent ANA auction, we sold one of this note's sheet mates, the K15 example in the same grade, for \$10,800.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Beautiful Fr. 277 Embossed Chief

**21085 Fr. 277 \$5 1899 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

This beautiful Chief made its first numismatic appearance that we know about on a fixed price list in 1987. Since then we cannot find a single auction appearance for it. The centering is so very close to perfect that a micrometer would be the very best way to measure this plate letter. A example's balanced margins. Another excellent trait is that it possesses white paper and dark inks. We also find upon further inspection that both serial numbers and the Treasury Seal show embossing on the back. Due to this, it is no wonder why the "embossing" statement was added by PMG to the back label. A closer look at the *PMG Population Report* tells us that they have graded over 5,200 Chiefs with only 21 higher than our current offering.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Handsome Porthole Silver Certificate - Tied for Finest Known at PMG

**21086 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

PMG has examined almost 2,000 Portholes, yet only this example and seven others have achieved the 67 EPQ grade without a single piece higher. This note certainly deserves the number assigned, with its perfect color, beautiful margins, and easily seen original embossing. Last on the market in our 2014 Central States auction, this gorgeous note will be highlight of the next collection it enters.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**





Gorgeous PMG 65 EPQ Porthole

**21087 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A beautiful Porthole note from a short run in the census where almost all serials have earned third party Gem grades. The last time that we entertained a PMG 65 EPQ Fr. 282 was in our recent Long Beach auction. That example fetched a winning bid of \$7,800. This is a high quality note where paper originality is easily seen through the third party holder.

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**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Extremely Popular Lincoln Porthole Graded Gem 65 EPQ by PMG

**21088 Fr. 282 \$5 1923 Silver Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A handsome and clearly fully Gem example of this very popular Lincoln Porthole type. The original embossing is easily seen through the third-party holder, and the centering of both sides more than qualifies for the assigned 65 grade.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Vibrant \$10 1880 Silver Certificate

**21089 Fr. 289 \$10 1880 Silver Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

According to Track & Price, this note has not been seen in auction since 2010 when it sold for \$15,525.00. The note is beautifully fresh and totally original, with lots of boldly evident embossing. The colors are vibrant. The only thing separating it from the full Gem designation is the bottom face margin, which although rather tight at the right end, is clear of the design at all points.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



One of the Very Nicest Fr. 299 Notes

**21090 Fr. 299 \$10 1891 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Gem Unc 66 PPQ.**

A wonderful Tombstone that sports balanced margins, exceptional color, and white paper. It is from a high grade, four consecutive note run found in the census. We have auctioned only two Fr. 299 notes graded higher, and that by a single grade point. The last of those two examples crossed our auction block in January, 2013. Our most recent auction of a third party graded 66 was in January, 2019. That PCGS 66PPQ piece realized \$13,200, which was a steady increase over the previous third party 66 in our auctions. It was another 66PPQ example from September, 2017 that closed at \$10,800. With that track record in mind, and with even more desire for high grades in this collector climate, we feel that our estimate should be at least met, if not exceeded.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**





### Classic Rarity Triple Signature Fr. 308

#### **21091 Fr. 308 \$20 1880 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 20.**

All triple signature notes are classic rarities for large size collectors. This offering is no exception, as it is one of just a dozen pieces enumerated in the Track & Price census for Fr. 308. It has a couple of minor repairs which were executed with skill, and thus enhance the appearance of this mid-grade example. This piece faces up a little higher grade due to the brightness and strength of its inks. Only three Fr. 308s are graded higher in Track & Price, making our current offering among the best that one could find.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



## Delightful AU \$20 Decatur Silver

### 21092 Fr. 310 \$20 1880 Silver Certificate PMG About Uncirculated 53.

We first offered this delightful note in May, 1998. In those pre-third party grading service days, we were able to examine in hand this \$20 Decatur Silver. We described it then as, "beautifully bright, with needle sharp engraving, perfect colors, and great margins. There is not the slightest hint of a repair or restoration. This beauty would grace the finest collection of Silver Certificates." The same remains true today and PMG has confirmed our findings with their AU 53 grade and comment free holder. PMG has graded only one Fr. 310 as equal and just one other higher, an AU 55, since they opened their doors in 2005. If you want to add this solid AU example to your collection, be prepared to outlast several bidders.

**Starting Bid: \$18,000**





Fr. 311 Decatur \$20 PMG VF 25

**21093 Fr. 311 \$20 1880 Silver Certificate PMG Very Fine 25.**

A solid, mid-grade problem free example of this difficult to locate Stephen Decatur Silver Certificate. It is very nicely margined, and quite clean for the assigned grade level. It is one of just over 150 pieces reported for this Friedberg number.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Comment Free VF 25 \$20 Silver Fr. 311

**21094 Fr. 311 \$20 1880 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

A highly sought after type note, this example was once part of William Donlon's May, 1971 auction. It is evenly circulated and resides in a comment free holder. The portrait is of War of 1812 naval hero, Captain Stephen Decatur. He was at the age of 25 the youngest person to be promoted to captain in the history of the US Navy. Decatur's life and naval career came to an abrupt end on March 22, 1820 when he was mortally wounded in a duel with Commodore James Barron. The last three years have seen us auction two other examples in the third party VF 25 grade. Both notes were PMG graded and showed a modest increase in winning bids during that time span. The May, 2018 Fr. 311 realized \$5,160, while the January, 2020 piece crossed the auction block to the tune of \$5,520.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ 1891 \$50 Silver

**21095 Fr. 334 \$50 1891 Silver Certificate PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

We auctioned this beautiful Everett \$50 with serial H166202 once before. That was in September, 2004 in the pre-third party grading days. We graded it at that time as Superb Gem New and described it as, "A beautifully margined, well embossed, strictly original Fifty Dollar Silver." PCGS Banknote has since graded it and they came to the same conclusions that we did in 2004. Worth noting, this is the first time this piece has appeared at auction since its 2004 debut. Track & Price enumerates 48 serials for Fr. 334. That figure includes the piece in this lot. Only three of those Fr. 334 notes now have grades at the 67 grade level, with none higher. A look at the entire Everett design of six different Friedberg numbers tell us that those same three discussed above are not only the nicest pieces for the Friedberg number, but also the nicest trio for the entire Everett design. Their closest competitor of the six different Friedberg numbers is a single PCGS 65 Fr. 335. We auctioned the PCGS 67PPQ Fr. 334 example with serial H166211 for \$54,000 in June, 2020. Our current offer is just nine serial numbers removed from our June, 2020 offering. We fully expect to either reach or surpass the earlier 2020 price.

**Starting Bid: \$40,000**





### Gem Vernon-Treat 1891 \$50 Silver Certificate

#### **21096 Fr. 334 \$50 1891 Silver Certificate PCGS Gem New 66.**

The 1891 Series of the \$50 Silver Certificate has a vignette of Edward Everett at right, a small, scalloped red seal, and blue serial numbers. The back of the 1891 Series was changed from a black back to a green back with more open space and no black lettering. The contrast of colors throughout the note is vibrant, the paper original, and the details in the engraving very precise. With 48 surviving examples, the Fr. 334 is a nice rarity in its own right, compounded here by the Gem grade. This offering would lift the overall quality and appeal of even the most advanced collections.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$20,000**

## TREASURY NOTES



### Rare and Lovely PMG Gem 65 EPQ Fr. 367

#### 21097 Fr. 367 \$10 1890 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.

A gorgeous \$10 Treasury Note, this offering is one of just 37 pieces recorded for this rare Friedberg number and was last on the market in our 1995 FUN auction. The centering of both sides is terrific, the original embossing is pronounced across the entire surface of the note, not just on the seal and serial numbers, and the colors are the equal of the day the note was printed. Treasury Tens are truly scarce in this top grade. This striking example, with its large brown spiked seal, is sure to attract considerable bidder attention. The last example at this grade level to appear at auction fetched over \$40,000 last spring.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**





PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ \$10 Sheridan

**21098 Fr. 369 \$10 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A beautiful Sheridan \$10 that is from a run of similar Gem notes. This example holds up under close examination as it is nicely margined and the back shows off its strong embossing and natural paper wave.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Colorful 1891 \$20 Treasury Note

**21099 Fr. 375 \$20 1891 Treasury Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A lovely \$20 with perfect colors and printing. The note looks almost three dimensional in the holder. We are in total agreement with these assessments as this is one highly preserved \$20 Treasury Note. We have not auctioned a Fr. 375 in this grade since January 2019. That equally attractive example sold for \$16,800.

**Starting Bid: \$6,750**



Fr. 375 \$20 1891 PMG Choice 63

**21100 Fr. 375 \$20 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

An appealing \$20 Coin Note, this example has sharp ink colors and three large margins. PMG mentions a minor restoration on the holder of this pretty note, but nothing is readily apparent.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$4,250**



Attractive PMG AU 58 \$20 Treasury Note

**21101 Fr. 375 \$20 1891 Treasury Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A new Open Back \$20 Treasury Note for the census, this piece slips neatly within a run of mostly Uncirculated Fr. 375 examples. Any handling is undetectable through the third party holder, but the open areas on the back display both natural paper wave from the drying process and embossing behind "United States of America." In summary, we see a very attractive plate letter D piece with three wide margins. There has been only one third party graded example at the 58 grade level to appear at auction since 2012. That different PMG AU 58 note was another plate letter D example very comparable to our current offering. That note realized \$9,900 in 2020, and we feel that its twin in our auction today will receive a similar winning bid.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



## FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES



Fr. 754★ \$2 FRBN Star - The Finer of Two Known

**21102 Fr. 754★ \$2 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Very Fine 20.**

An excessively rare \$2 FRBN star that, according to the Friedberg reference, should not exist. The Friedberg reference shows no catalog listing for Fr. 754 stars. Nevertheless, two pieces have turned up in recent years. The first, in a PMG Fine 12 holder, fetched \$17,625 at auction five years ago. This is its sibling, and is in a nicer grade with pleasing color and even wear. A wonderful opportunity for the Large Size Star specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



High-End 1915 Kansas City District \$10 FRBN

**21103 Fr. 817 \$10 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

The Kansas City District has supplied most of the high-end Ten Dollar Federal Reserve Bank Notes that are in the hands of today's collectors. This one is as high-end as they get. It is a wholly original note, with tremendous color and excellent centering.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



PMG Gem 65 EPQ Fr. 817a1

**21104 Fr. 817a1 \$10 1915 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A widely margined and pack fresh example of this newly assigned Friedberg number, this is the variety with hand stamped black signatures and the word "Acting" before "Secretary." The exact rarity of this variety is not definitively known, although in our last Long Beach auction, we did sell an identically graded example for \$9,900.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Very Scarce Atlanta \$20 FRBN, One of the Finest Graded

**21105 Fr. 823 \$20 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

Only 49 examples are known of this very tough Friedberg number according to the Track & Price census. To date, no third-party Uncirculated example has reached auction. This pretty \$20, which shows only minor traces of handling, has been off the market since a 1999 Bowers and Merena sale.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**





Lightly Handled \$50 St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank Note

**21106 Fr. 831 \$50 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

This is not a really rare note in terms of numbers known, with just over fifty pieces enumerated, but about a dozen are permanently impounded, and the remaining thirty-odd pieces are held closely by collectors as this is a one-number major type. Wonderful color and plenty of fibers are noticed. A very pretty note offering great eye appeal, examples are always in demand by collectors seeking to assemble a complete type set.

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**Starting Bid: \$17,500**

## FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES



### One of the Three Highest Graded \$10 1914 Red Seal FRNs

#### **21107 Fr. 893b \$10 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A gorgeous note, we have auctioned this piece twice before. The first time was in September, 1999 when we were able to examine it in the days prior to third party grading. We said then that it was well inked and bright with its full original embossing and full margins. The second time was in September, 2014 when we stressed this note's huge margins, ideal color, and top quality eye appeal. Today, all of those merits are still present, with the right serial number embossing displaying punch through characteristics. Track & Price lists only this note and two other serial numbers at this lofty major grading service level, with none higher. That is true, not only for Fr. 893b, but also for every one of the \$10 Red Seal FRN Friedberg numbers combined. All three notes are/were graded PCGS 67PPQ and last appeared at auction during the years 2011-14. Winning prices among that trio during that time span were in the \$21,850 to \$38,187 range. With all that in mind, our experience tells us that the above smaller figure has a nice chance of being surpassed when our gavel falls on this well preserved piece.

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**





### Bright and Fully Original Dallas \$10 1914 Red Seal

**21108 Fr. 902a \$10 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.**

A most attractive Dallas \$10 Red Seal, this piece is crossing the auction block for the first time. Long listed in the census as one of just 28 pieces recorded for this Friedberg number, it is finally appearing in a public setting. It is easily one of the top five pieces in terms of grade that are reported for this number as it exhibits wonderful color, bright, original paper surfaces, and just a few light folds.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



### Sole Finest Graded Fr. 947

**21109 Fr. 947 \$10 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

A beautiful note, this example displays every quality that a collector could desire, just as expected from a note carrying such a near-perfect grade. Not surprisingly, this pristine \$10 FRN is the sole finest graded by PMG, but also exceeds any other example seen by that grading service by a full two points. If you want, and can afford, the finest for your Registry or type set, this is the note for you.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Well Centered, Brilliantly Colored, Strictly Original Atlanta \$50 Blue Seal Fed

**21110 Fr. 1046 \$50 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

There is a run of Uncirculated notes for this Friedberg number that has supplied most of the known high grade \$50 Federal Reserve Notes. This near-Superb example is a new addition to the census, but its serial number fits comfortably into the known run. This high-end group has allowed what would otherwise be a prohibitively rare type as a Gem to be available to many collectors. In our 2019 FUN auction, we sold an identically graded example just two serial numbers away from this offering for \$6,600.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**





### Extraordinary Cut Sheet of \$100 Boston Red Seals

#### **21111 Fr. 1072a \$100 1914 Red Seal Federal Reserve Note Cut Sheet of Four PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

According to Track & Price census, there are twenty-five notes known for Fr. 1072a. This offering is from an extraordinary cut sheet of \$100 Red Seals, with each piece displaying a vivid red overprint, excellent centering, and spectacular eye appeal. The back design featuring vignettes of *Labor, Plenty, America, Peace, and Commerce* by Kenyon Cox, incorporated a classic sculptural interpretation. These notes belong to the only cut sheet extant from a run of sixteen consecutive notes discovered more than thirty years ago and are now widely distributed amongst collectors looking for just a single example for their high end type sets. Expect this cut sheet to easily eclipse the six figure mark. (Total: 4 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$60,000**



Stunning \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note

**21112 Fr. 1104 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

In *The Comprehensive Catalog of U.S. Paper Money* by Gene Hessler and Carlson Chambliss, the authors discuss the number of \$100 FRN Blue Seals known, and are puzzled by the low survival rate, even compared to the \$100 Red Seals issued before them. Were it not for a couple of small runs of Atlanta \$100s, Uncirculated examples would be prohibitively expensive and seldom encountered. This offering presents a stunning Atlanta \$100 with strictly original paper surfaces, excellent margins, and vibrant color.

**Starting Bid: \$4,500**



Impressive Near Gem \$100 Federal Reserve Note

**21113 Fr. 1108 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

An exceptionally bold and well-printed example of this \$100 blue seal type. The face shows a profile portrait of Benjamin Franklin in an oval frame. The appealing vignette on the back features *Labor, Plenty, America, Peace, and Commerce* as they were originally drawn by Kenyon Cox. Only a single Gem CU 66 EPQ has been graded finer at PMG, with no other equals to this evening's offering. The Newman note was a PCGS Apparent About New 53 that topped the \$2,000 mark in a far weaker 2018 market. This is the finest example we have had the pleasure to sell from either of the legitimate major grading services.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





New York District 1918 \$500 Federal Reserve Note

**21114 Fr. 1132-B \$500 1918 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 30.**

New York issued \$500 FRN's are the most common of all the districts with just over 50 examples reported, yet demand for the notes has increased substantially, as these high denomination notes make fewer and fewer auction appearances with each passing year. This attractive mid-grade example has had some repairs, but its relatively bright paper is complemented by a deep blue overprint and deeply printed devices. **Starting Bid: \$7,500**



One of Just Ten Known

**21115 Fr. 1132-F \$500 1918 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 20 Net.**

One of just ten examples reported for this rare Friedberg number, it is an unusual circulated example as, of the ten notes recorded, six are from a run of Uncirculated, or near Uncirculated pieces that have recent realizations of almost \$60,000. This piece was an unlikely survivor, spending time in the channels of commerce and still making it out of the Treasury's shredders. There is some rust and repaired tears are noted, but this will hardly stop the individual hunting to fill the hole in their type set with a note that is also very rare.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Colorful 1918 Kansas City Federal Reserve Bank \$500

**21116 Fr. 1132-J \$500 1918 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45.**

A colorful example of this popular design, the type features a portrait of John Marshall. Five years ago, when we last offered this note it realized \$44,650.00. PMG makes mention of a "Minor Restoration" that appears well executed and quite difficult to locate. The scarcity cannot be questioned as this is just one of fourteen examples from the Kansas City district that has survived out of an original printing of 7,200 notes.

**Starting Bid: \$22,500**





Problem-Free San Francisco \$1,000 Federal Reserve Note

**21117 Fr. 1133-L \$1,000 1918 Federal Reserve Note PMG Very Fine 25.**

The San Francisco district \$1000s are by far the most common of the 1918 series for that denomination. Track & Price indicates 59 known examples, exceeding the total for all of the other districts combined. That is a long-winded way to say that this is the perfect note to represent the type without paying a premium for a far scarcer district. This note, which is new to the census, is a perfect VF 25. PMG clearly agrees, as there are no negative comments of any kind. Last March, another PMG Very Fine 25 note that had been repaired sold at auction for \$17,400. **Starting Bid: \$8,750**

## GOLD CERTIFICATES



Near Superb Fr. 1169 1907 \$10 Gold Certificate

**21118 Fr. 1169 \$10 1907 Gold Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A most pleasing example of this Series 1907 issue, this note is engraved with the Act of July 12, 1882 above the "X" counter. As the most common of the 1907 \$10 Golds, the Fr. 1169 is still scarce in comparison to the 1922 \$10, which outnumbers it by a factor of almost 20 to 1. Last on the market in our September 2008 auction, this nicely margined and well embossed note is one of just three pieces graded at this lofty level by PMG, one of which sold for \$12,925 in our 2016 Central States auction.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Gorgeous Gem Unc 68 PPQ Fr. 1171 \$10 Gold Certificate  
The Finest Graded by Two Points

**21119 Fr. 1171 \$10 1907 Gold Certificate PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 68 PPQ.**

A simply beautiful piece, this example is new to the census and is easily the finest we have ever heard of for the Friedberg number. The colors on this \$10 are as vibrant as we've ever encountered on any Gold Certificate. The note has the appearance of a piece which was pulled from the pack this morning. Neither PMG or the "old" PCGS has graded a note for this number above the 66 level, but this lovely example certainly has the margins, centering, and pristine paper surfaces to support its assigned grade. If you want, and can afford, the finest for your type set, then this is the note for you.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**





Lovely PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ \$10 Gold

**21120 Fr. 1173 \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

No one will ever make the argument that this is a scarce Friedberg number, but with almost 4,500 pieces graded to date by PMG, only six have reached the Superb Gem 67 level, with a single note higher. This note is a beauty, with a blazing gold overprint, a brilliant reverse, and originality that easily merits the EPQ grade.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ Small Serial Number Fr. 1173a

**21121 Fr. 1173a \$10 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

This gorgeous note is the finest Fr. 1173a to grace our auctions. The Fr. 1173a notes have lower serial numbers than the Fr. 1173s because they were actually issued before the 1173s. This \$10 Gold is of the small serial number persuasion with serial numbers that measure in at 4 millimeters. The large serial numbers measure in at 5 millimeters. The Fr. 1173a notes are many times scarcer than the Fr. 1173s. The Friedberg 1173a number was not added until the thirteenth edition of that reference which was published in 1992. While the latest *PMG Population Report* lists three Fr. 1173a notes at the 67 level and one a single point finer, none of that quartet has ever appeared at public auction, according to Track & Price. This is truly a Superb note with wonderful color, ideal centering, and pristine paper surfaces. In other words, a note fit for the finest of collections.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Scarce Fr. 1173a★ Mule Gold Certificate Replacement Note

**21122 Fr. 1173a★ \$10 1922 Mule Gold Certificate PMG Very Fine 30.**

A bright mid-grade example of this very rare \$10 Mule Gold Certificate replacement note, this piece represents the scarcer variety with the small serial numbers. Its colors are quite attractive for the grade with the all-important gold back retaining almost all of its original orange ink. It is a new addition to the census of a mere fifteen replacement notes reported, and is tied for the finest graded by either service.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



One of Only 27 Fr. 1176 Notes

**21123 Fr. 1176 \$20 1882 Gold Certificate PCCS Banknote Very Fine 25.**

One of only 27 enumerated serial numbers for this Friedberg number found in Track & Price, this particular \$20 Gold was first documented in 1996. It has made only one other auction appearance before tonight, and that was in 2014. Examination of the face and back through the encapsulation finds an attractive mid-grade example even with the small loss of paper along the top edge. We have auctioned only one other Fr. 1176 at this third party grade. It was a PMG VF 25 piece that realized \$5,640 in January, 2018. Look for a similar result when the gavel falls on this lot tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





Ex-Newman Fr. 1177 \$20 Gold

**21124 Fr. 1177 \$20 1882 Gold Certificate PCGS Banknote Very Fine 20.**

This \$20 Gold was formerly part of the Eric Newman Collection where it realized \$7,637 in our April, 2015 CSNS auction. Our inspection through the third party holder reveals a note that exhibits sound edges and is without any pinholes. Friedberg numbers 1174-78 comprise the Garfield \$20 Gold design with Fr. 1177 being the only number of the design to sport a large Treasury Seal. While Fr. 1178 is the common number for the design, the other numbers are all just plain rare with Track & Price listing a population figure of 34 for Fr. 1177. It has now been nearly three years since we last offered an example in any grade, so this current mid-grade offering should make one determined bidder very happy.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Attractive and Original Technicolor \$20

**21125 Fr. 1179 \$20 1905 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ.**

A beautiful Technicolor \$20, this offering is for the collector who does not want to spend a strong five-figure amount for a slightly higher grade example. This lightly folded and fully original piece retains virtually all of its vibrant ink colors with traces of embossing and solid margins all around.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



## Stunning Technicolor \$20 Gold

### **21126 Fr. 1180 \$20 1905 Gold Certificate PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A beautiful and original \$20 Gold, this offering is not only one of the highest graded Fr. 1180 notes, but a look at the statistics for Fr. 1179 also tells us that it is one of the highest graded notes for the entire Technicolor design. This note originally comes from a small run with serial numbers beginning with A4043 that William Philpott purchased from a friend who had worked at the Treasury Department according to a Philpott letter that was included with a lot that crossed our auction block at the May, 1998 Central States auction. Our current superb plate letter D offering with serial A404344 is as nice as any that you will find of the two Technicolor Friedberg numbers. The margins are broad all the way around with the top and bottom margins being extraordinarily wide for any large size type note. Add perfect color of the pristine surfaces, strong embossing of both serial numbers, and centering of the face that is less than one millimeter away from perfection and you have one of the best notes that ever left the BEP during the large size era. Look for this stunning example to break the six figure barrier as we have done just that with our last three offerings of third party graded 67s of this Friedberg number. **Starting Bid: \$50,000**





## High-Grade Technicolor \$20

### 21127 Fr. 1180 \$20 1905 Gold Certificate PCGS Very Choice New 64.

A Technicolor note from the small hoard of high-grade \$20 1905s that William Philpott purchased from a friend who had worked at the Treasury Department. The notes were not consecutive, but all were from a pack that began with serial number A4043. This is a stunning example with ideal inks. One can easily see how this design got the "Technicolor" name. We would like to point out that the back exhibits both natural paper wave and serial number embossing.

*From the Norman Tsacalis Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**



Fr. 1187 with “Exceptional Paper Quality, Embossing & Color” PMG Comments

**21128 Fr. 1187 \$20 1922 Mule Gold Certificate PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A note we first crossed paths with as part of the Jim O’Neal Collection in our May, 2005 Central States auction, this piece was not third party graded then and the description read, “A glorious example of a note that is quite easy to find in Uncirculated grade, but very difficult to locate when one is seeking a fully margined, deeply embossed, utterly original superb piece such as this.” It is a beautiful paper money triple threat as PMG has listed on the label, “exceptional paper quality, embossing & color.” You can also add well margined, bright paper, and dark inks to the mix for this exceptional example.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





### Wholly Original and Rare 1882 \$50 Gold Certificate

#### **21129 Fr. 1192 \$50 1882 Gold Certificate PCCS Banknote Very Fine 30 PPQ.**

A nice mid-grade PPQ example of a rare Friedberg number that has a population figure of only 22 in Track & Price. Only three of those 22 have earned the PPQ grade modifier. The example in this lot is also tied with one other, having the third highest grade among that select few. Even though T&P lists 22 serial numbers, four are locked away in government holdings, leaving a paltry 18 for dedicated collectors to fight over. The Silas Wright \$50 Gold design encompasses Friedberg numbers 1188-97. Six of those numbers have T&P population figures below 22 and only two have populations above 100 which shows how scarce the design is. The \$50 Gold in this lot last crossed the auction block at our April, 2017 CSNS auction where it realized \$30,550. This note was basically folded into eighths and this action helped save its nice color. Also, those folds show this example's paper originality.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**



Highest Graded Example in Six Years to Cross Our Auction Block

**21130 Fr. 1195 \$50 1882 Gold Certificate PCGS Banknote Choice VF 35.**

A wonderful Silas Wright \$50 Gold, this note sports great originality. Traits of this plate letter B note include perfect colors, four broad margins, and deep embossing of both serial numbers. Track & Price has recorded sixty serials, with the current offering being in the top 25% of grades, and only one of those select few weighs in as Uncirculated. Also, it is undisputedly the highest graded Fr. 1195 that we have auctioned in over six years. Any hesitation in bidding would be ill advised as there are very few of these at this grade level or above.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





## High End Gem 1922 Fifty Dollar Gold

### 21131 Fr. 1200 \$50 1922 Gold Certificate PCGS Gem New 66PPQ.

Through the holder, we cannot discern any detail that would hold this lovely Fifty Dollar Gold note from the full Superb Gem New category. The yellow-gold overprint seems especially vibrant in contrast to the bright, blemish-free paper. An abundance of natural paper wave further adds to the eye appeal. Last on the market in a 2011 auction, this lovely piece even rivals the PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ note we sold in 2016 for almost \$80,000.

**Starting Bid: \$12,000**



Fifty Dollar 1922 Gold Certificate - PMG 64 EPQ

**21132 Fr. 1200 \$50 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

Although PMG has graded 732 examples of this Fifty Dollar Gold Certificate number, they have graded only six notes above the level of this pretty piece. The colors of both sides are as perfect as anyone could ever hope for, and the original embossing is easily seen. The note carries the very positive qualifier, "Exceptional Paper Quality." We have no doubt that it would have graded several points higher with just a slightly broader bottom margin. Significantly rare at this grade level.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Beautifully Printed 1882 \$100 Gold Certificate

**21133 Fr. 1214 \$100 1882 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**

This Benton Hundred is attractively margined on both sides and has held every bit of its color, even on the back, which is often prone to fading on Gold Certificates. A new addition to the census, it is a strikingly attractive note, with considerable claim to a higher grade. For comparison purposes, in our recent FUN auction, we sold a PMG Gem 65 EPQ example for over \$20,000.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**





PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ Fr. 1215  
The Sole Finest Graded by PMG

**21134 Fr. 1215 \$100 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

More than 30x as many 1922 \$20 Gold Certificates were issued compared to the 1922 \$100s. It is little wonder that high grade examples are very elusive. A new addition to the census, this lovely note is the sole finest graded by PMG. Only one other example at this lofty level from a major grading service has ever been offered at auction, a PCGS Superb Gem 67PPQ note that realized more than \$70,000 in 2014. This piece is fully margined as expected with any exceptionally nice Gem. The colors are vibrant, a perfect contrast against the creamy and original paper. For comparison purposes, every note graded at the 66 level that has appeared at auction in the past ten years has realized well over \$30,000. If you want, and can afford the finest, this is the note for you.

**Starting Bid: \$40,000**



## Spectacularly Colored \$100 1922 Gold Certificate

### 21135 Fr. 1215 \$100 1922 Gold Certificate PCCS Banknote Gem Unc 65 PPQ.

Only a handful of the 1,263 known Fr. 1215s are at this upper end of the PMG and PCCS population reports, with just a couple of dozen examples reaching the 65 level or better. This one is everything you would expect for the grade, with wonderful centering, margin size, beautiful color, and eye appeal. Last on the market in a 2007 auction, we also had the pleasure of offering this beautiful Gold Certificate in our inaugural auction of November 1990 where we called it Gem New. Our opinion has stood the test of time as, thirty years later, the PCCS Banknote grading service also agrees with our initial assessment.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**





### Lovely \$100 1922 Gold with Paper Originality

#### **21136 Fr. 1215 \$100 1922 Gold Certificate PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

Paper originality is a merit of this nicely preserved \$100 Gold that displays bold inks, with the orange back being especially appealing. The back also shows strong embossing of the Benton portrait and of many of the individual stars that are found on the Treasury Seal. While long recorded in the census, this pretty note is making its first auction appearance, according to Track & Price.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



## Remarkable \$500 1882 Gold

### 21137 Fr. 1216 \$500 1882 Gold Certificate PCGS Banknote About Unc 55.

A truly delightful \$500 Gold Certificate, this is the highest graded Fr. 1216 by ten grade points in the latest census, and 15 grade points higher than any other that we have ever offered. It is truly a beauty with ideal inks and white paper. In fact, the orange ink on the back is especially bold. There is also strong embossing of the upper right serial number. The same holds true of the Treasury Seal where several of the individual stars are embossed. Our inspection through the encapsulation is not able to detect the minor handling seen by the third party grading service, but we do see one remarkable example that possesses both rarity and condition. Therefore, a strong bid is advised in order to take this great note home.

**Starting Bid: \$40,000**





### High-End, Circulated 1922 \$500 Gold Certificate

#### **21138 Fr. 1217 \$500 1922 Gold Certificate PCGS Very Fine 35.**

This is an evenly circulated, problem-free note that would be highly desirable for the most ordinary large size type notes, but as a \$500 it is extraordinary. The colors, including the orange of the back, the bright paper, and the sound edges have all held up nicely over the years. A search of Track & Price indicates that this is the offering's first trip to the auction block ever. For comparison purposes, we sold a PMG Choice Very Fine 35 EPQ example in our 2019 Central States auction for \$43,200.

**Starting Bid: \$15,000**



## Choice Uncirculated Fr. 1225h Cut Sheet

### 21139 Cut Sheet of Three Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificates PMG Choice Uncirculated 64; Choice Uncirculated 63 (2).

These unredeemable \$10,000 Gold Certificates were printed three to a sheet instead of the usual four due to their height being approximately .375 of an inch taller than other large size notes. Each of these attractive examples was payable to the Federal Reserve Board with an issue date of "Dec. 16, 1915." We see that the notes of this cut sheet are of the variety where "Assistant" of "Assistant Treasurer" is not printed over in black ink. Also, each note has the usual roulette cancellation through the portrait and a date cancellation of, "9-18-16." This design was able to enter the collector community due to the five alarm Washington, DC Old Post Office fire that began on the night of December 13, 1935 and raged until the next morning. Firemen tossed many of these notes out of the windows of a sixth floor filing room in order to deny combustible material to the conflagration. The lucky onlookers at street level were able to pick them up and go on their way. The plate letter A note earned the highest grade for having the widest top margin of this lovely trio. For all three pieces, the colors remain bold and all of the backs exhibit natural paper wave. We would like to point out that the 64 no EPQ grade is a very high grade for Fr. 1225h as PMG has graded only four examples higher. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$6,000**





Fr. 1225h Cut Sheet PMG 58 EPQ

**21140 Cut Sheet of Three Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificates PMG Choice About Unc 58 EPQ.**

Signature of Deputy Assistant Treasurer of the United States F.J.F. Thiel remains bold on all three examples of this unredeemable type. Each piece has a single center fold and has earned the EPQ grade modifier. The standard roulette cancellation is present, too. Overall, they are a lightly handled and well matched trio. These charming examples have "Assistant" at top center blacked out and an added "Deputy" at bottom center to the immediate left of "Asst. Treasurer of U.S." They also have a date of "Jan. 10, 1917." The payable to statement has a boldly printed "Federal Reserve Board," and "Washington Issue" has been added below the left serial number. Minor variations of these \$10,000 notes exist that are not detailed in the Friedberg reference. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Fr. 1225h Cut Sheet with EPQ Grades

**21141 Cut Sheet of Three Fr. 1225h \$10,000 1900 Gold Certificates PMG About Uncirculated 53 EPQ (2); Choice Extremely Fine 45 EPQ.**

Having several cut sheets of this unredeemable type only shows the depth of our consignor's extraordinary collection. All three notes display similar circulation, with the folds found on the plate letter A note being just a few more numerous and a touch stronger. Paper originality consisting of natural paper wave and serial number embossing has earned each note the EPQ grade modifier. There is no staining whatsoever. The color is ideal on this delightful triumvirate. Also, the signature of Deputy Assistant Treasurer F.J.F. Thiel remains dark on all three. PMG has graded only two 53 EPQ Fr. 1225h notes. Both of those are in this lot. We also see that one of two PMG 45 EPQ pieces in the *PMG Population Report* are in this lot. All three have the usual roulette cancellation for this Friedberg number, and all are nice representatives of their respective grades. (Total: 3 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**

## NATIONAL BANK NOTES



### Neatly Signed Lincoln, Illinois Lazy Deuce

**21142 Lincoln, IL - \$2 Original Fr. 389a The First National Bank Ch. # 2126 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A lovely Lazy Deuce, this example shows off blazing colors and wonderful eye appeal. Were it not for a tight margin at the bottom right end, this note most certainly would have attained the Gem designation, as the back centering is exceptional. Fortunately for collectors, notes from here were saved in high grade and make wonderful representatives for the type.

*From the Randy Best Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**





### Nearly Uncirculated Lazy Deuce

**21143 Lincoln, IL - \$2 Original Fr. 389a The First National Bank Ch. # 2126 PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.**

Lincoln is the only town in the U.S. that was named for Abraham Lincoln before he became president, being officially named in 1853 while the future president was practicing law there. This gorgeous note was part of a banker's hoard that has supplied type collectors with a number of high-grade examples. Exhibiting wide margins, pleasing ink colors, and fresh signatures, this piece is only slightly diminished by four miniscule pinholes that are formed in the shape of a parallelogram causing PMG to note Pinholes. We have sold a number of these Lazy Deuces over the years, as these come from a small run of the better grade pieces. Listed in the census as Uncirculated, there is actually a tiny corner tip fold that accounts for the assigned grade. All of the comparable quality examples we have sold appear to sell for a minimum of \$10,000, therefore a similar realization is probable for this offering in today's robust currency market.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



### High Grade Lazy Deuce

**21144 Milford, MA - \$2 1875 Fr. 390 The Home National Bank Ch. # 2275 PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

One of the classic hoard notes which has given collectors an opportunity to own a high-grade Lazy Deuce for decades, this is a very nice example, with close but adequate margins, bright colors, and strong signatures.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



## Lovely PCGS Choice Uncirculated 64 Lazy Deuce

**21145 La Crosse, WI - \$2 1875 Fr. 391 The La Crosse National Bank Ch. # 2344 PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 64.**

This is one of a number of high grade Lazy Twos from this institution, put away generations ago by a far sighted banker. It is a nicely margined and quite attractive piece that makes a perfect type note. It is also a new note for the census, and displays the appealing feature of having a serial number that matches its assigned grade.

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**





### Beautiful Newark \$50 Brown Back

**21146 Newark, OH - \$50 1882 Brown Back Fr. 508 The First National Bank Ch. # 858 PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58.**

A gorgeous \$50 Brown Back, this piece is perfect for type. The pen signatures are bold and black, the colors as bright as the day they were applied at the Bureau, and the deep chocolate color on the reverse demonstrates exactly the reason these notes are called "Brown Backs." In fact, in its two previous auction appearances over a dozen years ago, this piece was called either Choice CU or Very Choice CU. We do not know what PMG spotted that caused them to assign their grade, but whatever it was, it certainly does not disturb the fantastic eye appeal that this beauty displays through the holder.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



## Single Finest Graded 1882 \$50 Brown Back

**21147 Philadelphia, PA - \$50 1882 Brown Back Fr. 510 The Fourth Street National Bank Ch. # 3557 PCGS Banknote Superb Gem New 68 PPQ.** "Trophy Note" is not a term we throw around lightly. The word implies a note conferred to be the rarest, finest, or most in demand for its type. In this case, we have one of America's most incredible design types in the single finest grade known. This note sits alone atop the population reports from PCGS and PMG combined for all \$50 Brown Backs nationwide. A lone 67 EPQ is in the *PMG Population Report* as second finest known to this example.

The margins here are as large as one will find for the design type. The paper is wholly original and bright, adorned by a perfectly printed design. At left is the vignette *Washington Crossing the Delaware* and at right *Prayer for Victory*, both stunning achievements in engraving artistry. The bold back shows the deep brown inks with blue charter numbers that make Brown Backs among the most revered banknote designs. Our August 2018 offering of a Western NB of Philadelphia \$100 Brown Back in Superb Gem 67PPQ will serve as a springboard for value here tonight. That piece realized \$90,000, and should easily be topped this evening.

**Starting Bid: \$50,000**





Attractive Cincinnati, Ohio \$100 Brown Back

**21148 Cincinnati, OH - \$100 1882 Brown Back Fr. 519 The First National Bank Ch. # 24 PCGS Extremely Fine 40PPQ.**

Five \$100 Brown Backs are reported from this low charter Cincinnati bank, all of which are the same grade, and all of which are within a few serial numbers of each other. That makes this example a perfect note with which to represent this scarce and desirable type, especially since it has the brightness and eye appeal of a fully Uncirculated example. The margins are perfect on both front and back, the paper bright white, and the pen signatures fully intact.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ \$5 Date Back  
The Only 68 Example Graded by PMG

**21149 Louisville, KY - \$5 1882 Date Back Fr. 537 The National Bank of Kentucky Ch. # (S)5312 PMG Superb Gem Unc 68 EPQ.**

These notes generally come nice as a rule, but this is a candidate for any ultimate type set, as few examples will share the combination of boardwalk margins, bright white paper, and vividly colored inks that this piece possesses. Not surprisingly, this is the only 1882 \$5 Date Back graded at this level by PMG for any Friedberg number, with none finer. You will certainly not be disappointed here, and your ultimate set will be unique.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



## Attractive and Scarce Iowa \$100 1882 Date Back

**21150 Sioux City, IA - \$100 1882 Date Back Fr. 566 The First National Bank Ch. # (M)1757 PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

A beautifully margined example of this very scarce type. Fewer than 100 1882 Date Backs are listed in the latest National Currency Foundation census from all banks in the country combined, with just seventeen pieces, including this example, coming from all Iowa banks. This pretty note, which exhibits only a couple of minor edge repairs, made its last public appearance in a 1997 Stacks sale and features excellent color, bright, white paper, and bold signatures. An overall appealing example of this very tough type.

*From the Western Gentleman's Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



## SMALL SIZE

### LEGAL TENDER NOTES



1928 \$1 Legal Tender Superb Unc 69 PPQ

**21151 Fr. 1500 \$1 1928 Legal Tender Note. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 69 PPQ.**

Not much can be improved upon with this note, as the colors are bright and the registration just a tad away from perfection. A wonderful piece, this is one of the nicest examples for the type this cataloger has ever laid eyes on. Back in 2019, we offered this note in a PCGS Currency 69PPQ holder, mentioning that it was just one of two graded at this level with none at PMG. The new entrant into third party grading of currency has concurred, and they now hold claim to grading one of the nicest surviving \$1 Red Seals extant.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Newly Reported Serial Number 2 Fr. 1509★ Star

**21152 Fr. 1509★ \$2 1953 Legal Tender Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

A wonderful new discovery, this note is being offered to collectors for the first time. This evenly circulated \$2 Legal star bears low serial number 2, making it not only a replacement note with the lowest recorded serial number for this series, but also the star with the lowest serial number for any \$2 Legal series. This note shows just moderate wear and retains its bold red overprint. A great note for either the star or small size specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**

## SILVER CERTIFICATES



Key \$1 1928E Silver Star

**21153 Fr. 1605★ \$1 1928E Silver Certificate. PMG Very Fine 25 Net.**

The current offering represents the key for \$1 Silver stars, as Track & Price lists only ten serial numbers. However, those ten do not include the serial for the star in this lot. It began its circulation during the depths of the Great Depression. Today finds it a moderately circulated example that is attractive on both sides. PMG has assigned its net grade for the note having sustained some repairs. However, the repairs are very well done and this star remains an attractive mid-grade note enabling a collector to tackle acquiring the other \$1 Silver stars.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



"King of the \$10 Silvers" Fr. 1700 PMG Choice Uncirculated 63

**21154 Fr. 1700 \$10 1933 Silver Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

Original paper wave and even embossing are seen on this fully Uncirculated 1933 \$10 Silver. Full margins on three sides and solid front to back centering add to the eye appeal. A new addition to the census, this pretty note would have likely garnered a much higher grade with a slightly larger bottom margin. Also, if not for a lone pinhole, this Silver Certificate rarity would probably have received PMG's EPQ designation.

*From the Jeffrey S. Jones Collection of Small Size Currency*

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**





### Rare \$10 Silver Certificate Reverse Changeover Pair

**21155 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 1703/Fr. 1702 \$10 1934B/1934A Silver Certificates. PCCS Gem New 65 and Superb Gem New 67PPQ.** Last appearing in our FUN 2015 where it was described, "Just the second reverse changeover pair for this series combination with not a single changeover pair recorded according to the latest Schwartz-Lindquist reference. A closer look at the individual notes tells us that the 1934B note in 64 and above is a key note for \$10 Silvers, while only one 1934A has been graded higher between the two major grading services. A rare pair destined to be added to an advanced collection," this offering is likely to achieve a similar realization here this evening. (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**

## FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES



### One of Just Two Known Dallas \$5 FRBN Replacements

**21156 Fr. 1850-K★ \$5 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Very Fine 25 EPQ.**

This \$5 star from the Dallas district is one of the highlights of tonight's sale. It is one of just two pieces of its kind known, a census number that has not changed in well over a decade. Both known Dallas stars are about equal in grade, with the other reported piece in a PMG Very Fine 25 holder. Tonight's offering, while in the same grade, has also received the coveted EPQ designation from PMG. That other known note last appeared on the market in our 2013 FUN auction where it brought \$28,200. We will estimate this evenly circulated and original replacement note somewhat conservatively and let the bidders decide tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**





### Fourth Reported 1929 Dallas \$10 Replacement Note

#### **21157 Fr. 1860-K★ \$10 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Very Fine 20.**

A handsome \$10 FRBN star note from the feverishly collected Dallas district, this piece is a great new addition to the census as it is only the fourth replacement note to be reported. It is a nicely margined star that exhibits just even wear and pleasing color for the grade. The last example to sell at auction was a PCGS Very Fine 20 note that brought \$14,400 in 2017.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



## Rare Dallas \$20 Federal Reserve Bank Note Star

**21158 Fr. 1870-K★ \$20 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Very Fine 20.**

An extremely rare Dallas star that is one of just two pieces reported, with \$20 Dallas stars missing from both the Flynn collection as well as our massive Taylor Family collection sale in 2005. The other known example last sold at Memphis in 2006 for \$16,100 and has not been seen since. Therefore, tonight's offering provides another fortunate collector the opportunity to finally add this true rarity in small size to their holdings. When just two fingers can be used to count the number of notes known, expect some heated competition to acquire this treasure. **Starting Bid: \$10,000**



## FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES



Gem 65 EPQ Serial Number D99999999C 1963A \$1 Federal Reserve Note

**21160 Fr. 1901-D \$1 1963A Federal Reserve Note Solid Nine Serial Number. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Solid nine serial numbers are the most coveted by collectors. This pleasing Cleveland district note is fresh from a long held collection and as such is being offered to collectors publicly for the first time. It is nicely centered and looks just as the day it was printed. Expect a solid four figure realization after the hammer falls this evening.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Serial Number 1 \$5 2003 FRN 67 EPQ

**21161 Fr. 1990-1 \$5 2003 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Serial number 1 notes are not officially released into the "wild" nowadays, but they are sometimes able to escape into circulation. This example has rightfully earned a high third party grade of 67 EPQ. We have auctioned only one other serial number 1 at the third party grade of 67 with none higher. It was a \$10 2009 FRN grading PCGS 67PPQ, and it realized \$17,625 in April, 2014. The \$5 beauty in this lot has a good chance of challenging, if not exceeding, the earlier figure.

**Starting Bid: \$3,500**



### The Finer of Two Surviving \$100 Dallas Replacement Examples

#### 21159 Fr. 1890-K★ \$100 1929 Federal Reserve Bank Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.

Today one lucky collector will have the opportunity to own the finer of the two Dallas brown seal \$100 star notes known. Just over 16 years ago, the Dr. Cookson example realized \$23,000, which appeared to be a bargain at the time as the note was originally acquired by Cookson for \$33,000 in 2001. A minor scuff at the upper right on the face, which PMG refers to as an erasure, detracts little from the overall upper mid-grade appeal this note possesses. In terms of numeric grade this piece is over two times as nice as the other piece. Again, we will estimate this small size rarity conservatively, and let the bidders ultimately decide, with only one emerging victorious.

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**





Richmond \$10 1928A Star - One of Two Known

**21162 Fr. 2001-E★ \$10 1928A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

An excessively rare Richmond \$10 star, this is one of only two pieces reported for this series and the only example that we have ever handled. It is an evenly circulated mid-grade star with nice color, ample margins, and a little natural paper ripple on the back. It presents a great opportunity for the small size star note specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



Serial Number 1 1950A Chicago \$10 FRN

**21163 Fr. 2011-G \$10 1950A Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The ultimate small size prize is a serial number one note. This charming \$10 with serial 00000001 possesses very bold embossing of the upper right serial number. For several years now, the BEP has enforced a policy of removing serial number 1 notes plus a few other serials and replacing them with star notes. Although this policy is not strictly adhered to, expect stiff competition in order to bring this example home.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Serial Number 1 \$20 Replacement Federal Reserve Note

**21164 Fr. 2095-B★ \$20 2009 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

We are pleased to offer this serial number 00000001★ \$20 note. Although not in terribly high grade, we expect that this \$20 star note will still attract a fair amount of interest. The last time a \$20 serial number 1 was seen in a Heritage auction was April 26, 2019.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**



Finest Graded at PMG 1928 Dallas \$50 Federal Reserve Note

**21165 Fr. 2100-K \$50 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

This gorgeous Dallas \$50 is the highest graded PMG example without any equal. It is the highest grade we have offered on a Fr. 2100-K as the previous high in our auctions was a PCGS 66PPQ piece that sold for a whopping \$14,100.00 in 2013. It is also a new serial number for the Track & Price Census and sports excellent color, embossing, natural paper wave, and centering between balanced margins. This delightful \$50 will attract plenty of attention from our bidders, but only one will be able to bring it home.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**





### Rare Atlanta District \$100 Reverse Changeover Pair

#### **21166 Reverse Changeover Pair Fr. 2153-F/Fr. 2152-F \$100 1934 Federal Reserve Note/1934A Mule Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Choice About New 58PPQ.**

In our 2014 FUN auction, these notes were described, "A rare changeover pair from the Atlanta district. The new Schwartz-Lindquist small size reference lists only one \$100 Atlanta district 1934 to 1934A changeover pair, and no Atlanta 1934 to 1934A Mule pairs. Both notes here are quite high grade, with light bends rather than any evidence of real circulation." (Total: 2 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



### Fifty Crackling Fresh Series 1950B Chicago \$100s

#### **21167 Fr. 2159-G \$100 1950B Federal Reserve Notes. Fifty Examples. Crisp Uncirculated.**

A consecutive run save for a star note replacing the 38th note in this pack, this is one of the largest runs of \$100 FRNs that we have been able to offer from this era. The first 30 notes have a corner bump at upper right and all have a left margin pinch. Also, as we count through them, each example is crackling fresh. The "Head Payer" teller rubber stamped the bank band with a July 10, 1961 date, the 32nd anniversary of the introduction of small size notes. (Total: 50 notes)

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Beautiful PMG 65 EPQ Chicago \$500

**21168 Fr. 2200-G \$500 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

Ideal color plus Treasury Seal and serial number embossing describe this Chicago \$500. We have auctioned only two other PMG 65 EPQ Fr. 2200-G notes since 2008. The first was this very note when it realized \$4,887 in January, 2008. The second example was a different participant in our January, 2018 FUN auction that closed at \$4,800. A decade separates these two examples on the auction block, yet their prices realized are pretty close to being the same. The beauty in this lot should seriously challenge both of those two winning bids.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Low Serial Number 63 1928 San Francisco \$500

**21169 Fr. 2200-L \$500 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Fine 30PPQ.**

A bright and original example, this San Francisco \$500, not only represents the scarcer 1928 Series, but also carries a low two-digit serial number of 63. According to Track & Price, it becomes the lowest serial number recorded for this series and district. One other two-digit number, 68, is in the census, but that note has never crossed the public auction block. A great note for the small size high denomination specialist.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





Superb Gem New 67PPQ 1934 Boston District \$500 FRN

**21170 Fr. 2201-A \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Superb Gem New 67PPQ.**

Any serious high denomination type set can consider a Superb Gem grade for the \$500 and \$1,000 denominations. Unlike type set offerings for coin collectors, offerings in this grade for collectors of 20th Century type notes are not as lucky, having to compete with a multitude of collectors for the few examples that come up each year. This is an attractive example for the grade, with solid, even margins surrounding deeply printed devices. This piece is crossing the auction block for the first time. Its serial number fits right in to a run of other Superb or near-Superb examples.

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**



Top Pop Fr. 2201-F \$500 LGS

**21171 Fr. 2201-F \$500 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**

The one and only Top Pop note for Fr. 2201-F with the Light Green Seal overprint. It is a nicely preserved example with excellent contrast between the white paper and the light green ink. This contrast is just one reason why collectors flock to LGS notes. This is especially true for the \$500 and \$1,000 denominations. This piece also earned the highly desirable EPQ grade modifier and exhibits quality throughout. Therefore, be prepared for the note in this lot to clear five figures.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Finest Known Near-Superb Minneapolis District Light Green Seal

**21172 Fr. 2201-I \$500 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A visually pleasing Minneapolis district note, this is the finest Light Green Seal example graded to date at PMG. It is well centered and nicely margined with pack fresh originality that is certain to please its next owner. Over seven years have elapsed since we sold a 65 EPQ example, which was the highest graded piece back then.

**Starting Bid: \$8,750**



Excessively Rare Minneapolis \$500 1934 Star- The Nicer of Two Known

**21173 Fr. 2201-I★ \$500 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Extremely Fine 40.**

When we sold this high denomination replacement note in our September 2005 auction, we said it was one of two stars listed in the census from this district in the 1934 series and that it was also the finer of the pair with excellent color and just light, even wear. Amazingly, the other known star was also offered in the auction. Since that time, neither piece has made a public appearance again until this evening, providing a great opportunity for today's generation of collectors. If rarity is any criterion, this \$500 star will see considerable bidding activity before the hammer falls tonight.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**





Lightly Handled 1928 Boston \$1,000

**21174 Fr. 2210-A \$1,000 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Choice AU 58 Details.**

This is a new serial number and a new high grade for Track & Price for Fr. 2210-A. The population currently stands at 45 serial numbers accounted for, with the highest grade being PMG About Uncirculated 50. That AU 50 piece realized \$9,900 in August, 2019. Tonight's offering is eight grade points higher and possesses four ample margins, dark inks, and white paper. Minor restoration is cited on the back label, and we agree that it is certainly minor. Look for this \$1,000 to hammer above the figure for the AU August, 2019 note.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Highest PMG Grade Chicago 1928 \$1,000

**21175 Fr. 2210-G \$1,000 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

The highest PMG grade bestowed upon this example and just two others of this Friedberg number is 66 EPQ. Upon further analysis of the PMG statistics, we also see that for all twelve districts of the 1928 Series, PMG has graded a mere eight equal with none higher of the \$1,000 denomination. Observed traits of the note in this lot are dark inks, white paper, and original paper surfaces that include punch through embossing of a couple of the characters of the left serial number. This note last traded hands almost twelve years ago and now is available once again to a new generation of collectors.

**Starting Bid: \$6,250**



Top Five PMG Graded Example Fr. 2211-A

**21176 Fr. 2211-A \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

PMG has graded only two higher and three equal out of the 111 Fr. 2211-A LGS notes that they have examined. The two higher statistics have not changed in the PMG database since at least 2009. The example in this lot possesses natural paper wave and excellent color including a very nice contrast of the light green ink against the white paper. We have auctioned only one other PMG 65 EPQ example. That was in January, 2018 and it realized \$5,760. Tonight's beauty will make a strong run to surpass that figure.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Mid-Grade Chicago District \$1,000 Star Note

**21177 Fr. 2211-G★ \$1,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 30.**

Just honest even, problem-free wear is found on this Chicago district \$1,000 replacement note. Some serial number embossing is still evident. This high denomination star will make a fine addition to the next collection it enters.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





Well Preserved and Centered 67 EPQ Minneapolis \$1,000

**21178 Fr. 2211-I \$1,000 1934 Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Superb Gem Unc 67 EPQ.**

Centering is right on the nose for this well preserved Minneapolis \$1,000 with wide, balanced margins. Strict paper originality is also noticed as bold serial number and Treasury Seal embossing adorn the back. PMG has graded only two other Fr. 2211-I Dark Green Seal mule notes as equal, with not a single example graded higher. Our experience with this number is that we have previously auctioned only one other PMG 67 EPQ Fr. 2211-I DGS mule. The last time it crossed our auction block was to the tune of \$30,550 in April, 2015. An in depth look at our archives reveals that our current offering and the 2015 example are the only two 67 EPQ pieces that we have auctioned for the entire 1934 Series for this denomination. Therefore, those that seek the best for their collections will need to go toe to toe with other like minded collectors.

**Starting Bid: \$10,000**



Serial Number 1 San Francisco District \$1,000

**21179 Fr. 2211-L \$1,000 1934 Light Green Seal Federal Reserve Note. PMG Very Fine 25.**

One of the highlights of tonight's auction, this is the only reported serial number 1 \$1,000 Federal Reserve Note outside of government hands. The Smithsonian holds a number 1 from the Chicago district for both the 1928 and 1934 Series. Considering that only a combined total of 24 serial number 1's were printed for both series of \$1,000s, this piece is a true miracle of survival. Surprisingly, it was not tucked away at its issuance, but rather, spent some time in circulation before it was spotted by a sharp-eyed collector. PMG has noted some minor restoration of edge splits, but otherwise, it is a bright and attractive note with excellent color and an overall pleasing appearance. A true wonder note for either the number 1 collector or the specialist in \$1,000 FRNs.

**Starting Bid: \$50,000**



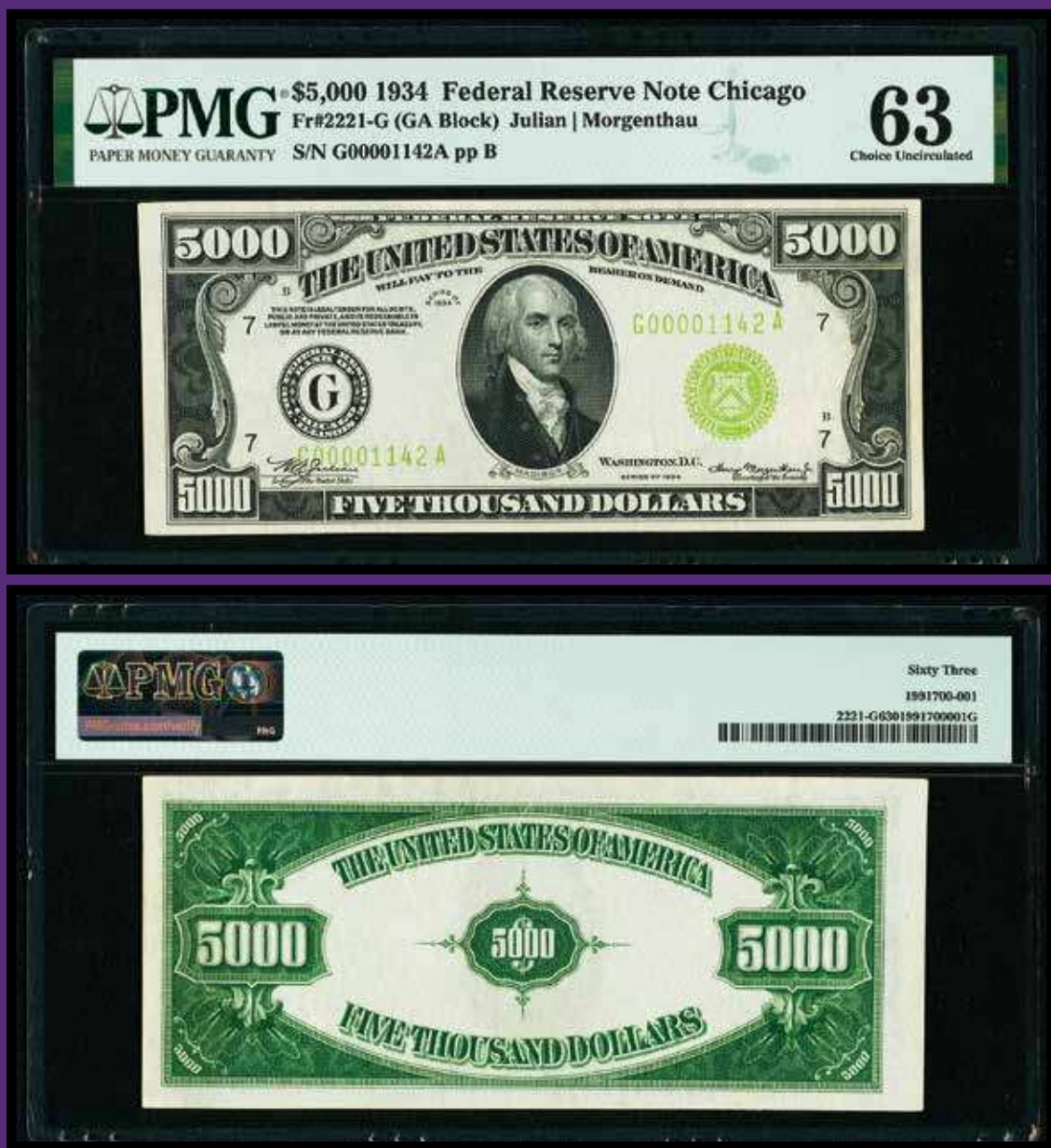


### Gem 65 EPQ Philadelphia \$1,000 Mule FRN

**21180 Fr. 2212-C \$1,000 1934A Mule Federal Reserve Note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.**

A quick look at PMG census figures confirms this Mule note to be tied with just one other piece as the finest graded by PMG. It is a stunning note with great centering and a fresh from the pack look. Expect strong competition for this well preserved Philadelphia \$1,000.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



## Fresh and Fully Uncirculated \$5,000 FRN

### 21181 Fr. 2221-G \$5,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A total of 6,600 1934 Chicago \$5,000s were printed and issued. While New York and Chicago have plenty of survivors recorded in the census, attrition took its toll and high grade notes are far and few between. This Choice Uncirculated example, which is newly reported, sits close to the top of the PMG census for the district, with no Gems reported in their population report. Embossing from the overprint can be seen on the back. The margins are sufficient and even enough to give the note a Gem appearance. The creamy white paper is a perfect backdrop to the finely printed design elements.

The \$5,000 and \$10,000 Federal Reserve Notes are “trophy notes” for both their appeal to collectors and their striking appearance to non-collectors. For the most astute of collectors, the Very Choice Uncirculated grade is about all that is available. We have never offered a \$5,000 third party graded Gem, and for this district, only one Gem has ever been graded by PCGS and PMG combined. That piece has never been seen at auction

**.Starting Bid: \$62,500**





### Wholly Original Dallas \$5000 Federal Reserve Note

#### **21182 Fr. 2221-K \$5,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Very Choice New 64PPQ.**

A mere 2,400 \$5000's were printed and issued through the Federal Reserve Bank in Dallas. All the notes from Dallas feature the attractive lime green overprint. This lovely piece is new to the census, but does have a low serial number of 49, which places it as one of a small grouping of very nice examples from the district with similar serial numbers. Few finer \$5,000's have been graded from all districts combined. In fact, nothing in Gem from this district has been offered at public auction in almost 20 years. For comparison purposes, in our last Long Beach auction, we sold a PCGS Very Choice New 64 (no PPQ) example for \$138,000. However, the last 64PPQ note we sold from this district realized \$223,250 in our 2015 FUN auction.

**Starting Bid: \$87,500**



Moderately Circulated Dallas \$5,000 FRN

**21183 Fr. 2221-K \$5,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

We are fortunate to be able to offer two \$5000 FRNs in tonight's sale with this second note, from the Dallas district, featuring moderate wear and excellent color for the grade. PMG has added the comment "restoration" to the holder of this pleasing example, but nothing unusual is readily apparent. Since most high denominations were printed mostly for bank to bank transactions, the production runs were small in most every instance. Only 2,400 Series 1934 \$5,000 notes were printed for the Dallas district, and only about two dozen are currently reported. **Starting Bid: \$55,000**

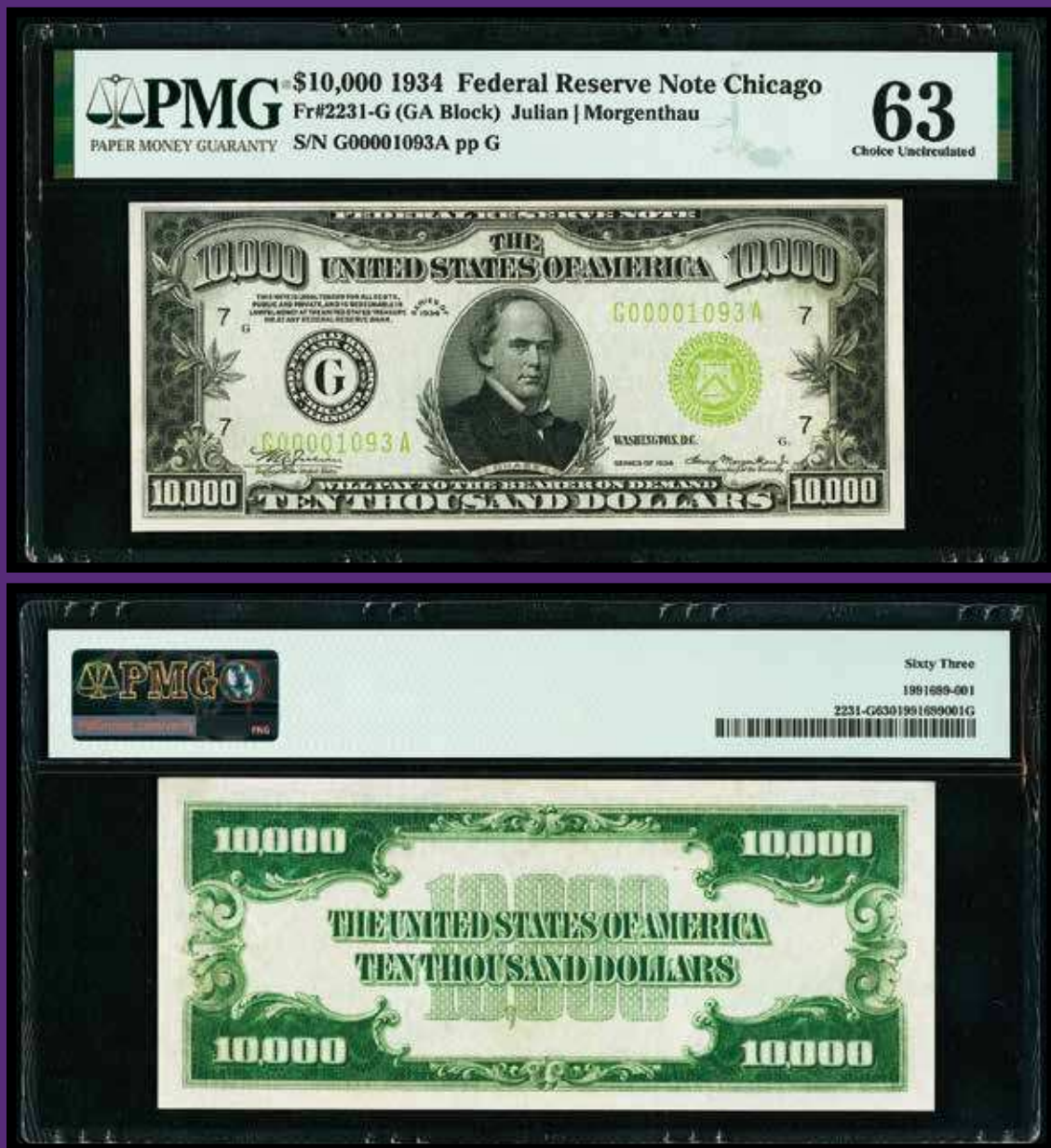




Bright and Well Printed Binion \$10,000

**21184 Fr. 2231-B \$10,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

A bright and attractive Binion example, this piece has great color and eye appeal. The note is consecutive to other notes that were famously displayed in a large horseshoe frame as you entered the Binion Horseshoe Casino. That \$1 Million display was an iconic part of Las Vegas history, now available to the collecting community. PMG has made a comment about minor repairs, which were very expertly executed.  
**Starting Bid: \$115,000**



## Choice Uncirculated Chicago District 1934 \$10,000

### 21185 Fr. 2231-G \$10,000 1934 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.

A nicely margined note from a district that now boasts just twenty examples known in total according to census data. This serial number 1093 note has flown under the Track & Price census radar until now. This is the first Choice Uncirculated example we have been able to offer for this series and district in almost fifteen years. It is a fresh and bright note with great color and traces of original embossing. A bit better centering on the face, and it certainly would have qualified for a higher grade. Since no problem-free Choice Uncirculated 1934 Chicago \$10,000s have been auctioned since 2006, any estimate is a bit difficult. For comparison purposes, a PMG About 55 example, with a stain, sold for \$114,000 in our 2019 FUN auction.

**Starting Bid: \$62,500**



## WORLD WAR II EMERGENCY NOTES



### Glorious \$1 Hawaii Replacement Note

**21186 Fr. 2300★ \$1 1935A Hawaii Silver Certificate. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 69 PPQ.**

A glorious example that recently returned from grading with PCGS Banknote. We could barely contain our excitement when we saw the assigned grade for this replacement note. It is the finest graded bar none and displays margins that appear cut with laser precision. A new record for \$1 Hawaii star notes is likely to be set when the hammer falls here this evening.

**Starting Bid: \$12,500**



Nicely Preserved \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Star

**21187 Fr. 2301★ \$5 1934 Mule Hawaii Federal Reserve Note. PCGS Banknote Choice Unc 63.**

One of the highest third party graded examples of this wartime star mule that has landed on our desk, this piece has micro face plate number 25 and macro back plate number 1145. The inks are dark, the paper is white, and the margins reveal a paper guide line marker just below the top edge. This lovely piece was nicely preserved during the threat of invasion by the Japanese of the Hawaiian Islands and also during all of these years after V-J Day.

**Starting Bid: \$3,500**



Near-Perfect \$1 F-C Block North Africa

**21188 Fr. 2306 \$1 1935A North Africa F-C Block Silver Certificate. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 69 PPQ.**

When we last offered this note in 2019, it resided in a PCGS Currency Superb Gem New 69PPQ holder. Today, it retains the same astounding grade awarded now by PCGS Banknote. This F-C block piece is certainly a Pop 1 note today, as there are no finer \$1 North Africa notes known than this one. Back with us in 2019, this almost perfect note sold for \$9,600. We will estimate it a touch back from that figure here this evening and let the bidders decide the value in today's market for high grade rarities.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





Gem 66 EPQ North Africa \$5 Star Note

**21189 Fr. 2307★ \$5 1934A North Africa Silver Certificate. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**

A wonderful North Africa star, examples are quite common in lower grade, but become prohibitively scarce above the 65 level. This piece is a lovely example that is tied with three others at PMG and is only outshone by a lone 67 EPQ note. We last sold a 66 level replacement note in our 2017 Long Beach auction where a PCGS Gem New 66PPQ example brought \$6,600.

*From the Gerald Glasser Collection, Part III*

**Starting Bid: \$3,750**

## GOLD CERTIFICATES



Superb Gem Unc 68 PPQ 1928 \$10 Gold Certificate

**21190 Fr. 2400 \$10 1928 Gold Certificate. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 68 PPQ.**

A gorgeous note that likely sits atop the grading charts at PCGS Banknote. PMG has graded but two examples at this lofty level. Our last offering of a PMG 68 EPQ example saw a price realized of \$11,750.00. This piece may very well approach that figure.

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



Superb 1928 \$20 Gold Certificate

**21191 Fr. 2402 \$20 1928 Gold Certificate. PCGS Banknote Superb Gem Unc 67 PPQ.**

A well margined note, this piece retains sharp printing and great centering. Not much can be improved on here. In 2015, we sold a PMG 67 EPQ for \$6,462.50. We see no reason why this lovely note cannot approach that figure here this evening.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



Nicely Preserved 1928 \$100 Gold

**21192 Fr. 2405 \$100 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.**

The paper is white, the black and gold inks contrast nicely, and the orange third printing is bold with clearly defined digits in the serial numbers on this attractive high denomination Gold Certificate. Many collectors put together a \$10 through \$100 Gold type set. This note is a good candidate for such an endeavor.

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**





### About Uncirculated \$500 1928 Gold Certificate

#### **21193 Fr. 2407 \$500 1928 Gold Certificate. PMG About Uncirculated 55.**

A much in demand type note, this piece allows collectors to expand their holdings of small size Gold Certificates beyond the \$100 denomination. The offering possesses balanced margins, good color, and only minor evidence of circulation. Minor repairs are mentioned on the third party holder, but are not readily apparent under normal viewing circumstances.

**Starting Bid: \$7,500**



Gem New 65PPQ \$1,000 Gold Certificate

**21194 Fr. 2408 \$1,000 1928 Gold Certificate. PCGS Gem New 65PPQ.**

A simply gorgeous and exceedingly rare \$1,000 Gold Certificate, this piece made its last public appearance in our 2006 FUN auction. At that time, we said: "This is a true monster of a note, and is very likely the finest \$1000 small size Gold Certificate we have ever had in any of our sales. The colors are unbelievably bright, the paper white as snow, the centering perfect on the face and more than adequate on the back, and the overall effect simply dazzling to the eye." Later on, PCGS agreed with our assessment in assigning a 65PPQ grade to this beautiful Gold Certificate.

A quick review of PCGS and PMG grading standards reflects that only notes showing complete originality and outstanding paper quality are designated as PPQ (Premium Paper Quality - PCGS) or EPQ (Exceptional Paper Quality - PMG). Current census data from PCGS & PMG reveals that only about twenty 1928 gold thousands have received the PPQ or EPQ designation, underscoring the fact that these notes, while scarce in any grade, are exceptionally rare in original, as issued condition. This chance survivor possesses the twin hallmarks of greatness - quality and rarity. It radiates a superb print quality and a flashy gold overprint which make for pleasing eye appeal. Given the quick absorption by strong hands of the only other 1928 \$1000 gold Gems many years ago, it is possible that this note is the one and only Gem 1928 gold thousand that will be available to collectors for many years to come.

**Starting Bid: \$35,000**



## ERROR NOTES



### Rare and Important Large Size Foldover Error - Ex-Grinnell

#### **21195 Foldover Error Fr. 73 \$5 1880 Legal Tender PMG Choice About Unc 58.**

A truly wonderful large size error, this is both a major foldover and an obstruction error, with only a small part of the large seal showing that is not printed on the folded over portion. This is a beautiful piece which traces its provenance to the famed Albert Grinnell collection which was sold by Barney Bluestone. This note appeared as Lot 408 in the November 25, 1944 auction where it realized all of \$26. We expect this great error note to do a bit better this evening.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



## Unique \$5 FRBN Invert

**21196 Inverted Back Error Fr. 794 \$5 1918 Federal Reserve Bank Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

A solidly graded example of this rare invert, this is the only \$5 FRBN reported with this seldom seen error. While several inverts are known for \$1 and \$2 FRBNs, this is the only \$5 reported.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**





## Only Large Size \$100 Invert Available For Collectors

### **21197 Inverted Back Error Fr. 1098 \$100 1914 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Very Fine 35.**

This Cleveland C-note is the only large size \$100 inverted back available in the collector community. There is another \$100 inverted back known, a New York Fr. 1088, but it has been in government hands for a long time. In fact, it was transferred from the Treasury Department to the Smithsonian Institution in 1978 when the former sent their locked away holdings to the latter for storage and display purposes. Therefore, the Fr. 1088 will remain forever beyond the reach of collectors. The attractive mid-grade, comment free inverted back error in this lot made its first appearance in the William Donlon auction of September, 1972 as lot 592 in the supplement session where it brought all of \$260. Times have certainly changed since then as both errors and rarity have greatly appreciated over the last five decades in the paper money field. Its next public offering was at the ANA auction of 1977 which was the most extensive paper money auction of the 1970s, if not the following decade, too. Its third offering was 23 years later at our January, 2000 FUN auction. We predicted in our description a five figure price and it took a winning bid of \$14,300 to bring this unique in collector hands inverted back \$100 home. Today, collectors are able to compete once again for this unique error. Therefore, if rarity and desirability are any guide in the current robust market, our estimate could well prove conservative in the quest to make this rarity the centerpiece of the next collection that it enters.

*From the Richard Merlau Error Collection*

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**



## Ex-Grinnell Courtesy Autographed National Foldover Error

**21198 Printed Foldover Error John Burke Courtesy Autograph Omaha, NE - \$10 1902 Date Back Fr. 616 The First National Bank Ch. # 209 PMG Very Fine 25.**

One of the greatest of all National Bank Note errors, this piece traces its pedigree all the way back to the fabled Grinnell Collection, where it was lot 4411, sold as part of the "error or freak notes" section, the largest offering ever of National errors. This note is a printed foldover error with a significant portion of the blue Treasury Seal printed on the back at lower left. The piece is also missing the blue overprint of the regional letter, charter number, and Treasury Seal on the right side of the face. In addition, the note has been courtesy autographed by U.S. Treasurer John Burke, who was in office from 1913-21. Burke signs where the Treasury Seal should have been printed on the face. His signature on this error note may have been acquired by a collector who wanted a form of validation that this was a legitimate error. Nonetheless, any estimate is simply a guess for this intriguing autographed error, but its fortunate new owner is set to acquire something that will very likely remain unique forever.

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**





### Highly Unusual Double Inverted Star \$100 Error

#### 21199 Double Inverted Star Error Fr. 2150-L★ \$100 1928 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice About Unc 58.

Only the third example of a double inverted star error that we have auctioned. One of the other two pieces was a Fr. 2050-B★ \$20 1928 FRN that graded PMG VF 30 which realized \$4,800 in April, 2018. Our second offering was another Fr. 2150-L★ \$100 1928 FRN grading PMG VF 25 which fetched \$6,600 in September, 2019. A double inverted star error is highly unusual, as this rare error type is normally associated with only one “★” being upside down. In this case, the note had both star plugs inserted in the serial number wheels upside down. This error has the crown point for both serial numbers rotated 180 degrees and pointing downwards. Later, the BEP would make the “★” plug in such a way that it could only be inserted correctly. The much higher graded example of this rare error type in this lot should easily command a five figure result.

**Starting Bid: \$6,000**



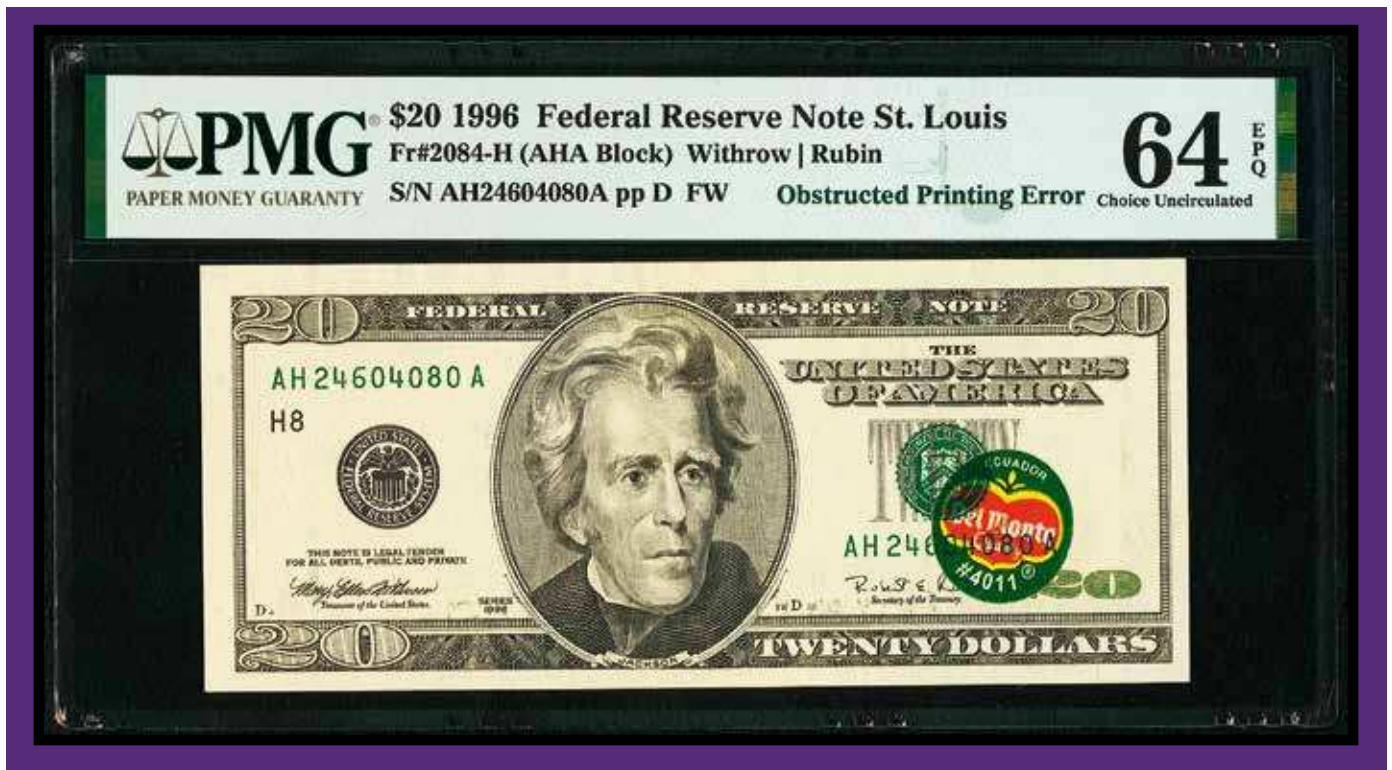
### Elusive Mismatched Serial Number \$100 Error

#### 21200 Mismatched Serial Number Error Fr. 2182-F 2006A \$100 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice About Unc 58.

The fourth digit is the mismatch offender for this error \$100 with this piece having serial 90508232/90598232. There is not a single mismatched serial number for this denomination and series listed in either the latest Bart or Sullivan error references. We have auctioned one other Series 2006A \$100 mismatched serial number, but it was from the Dallas district. It graded PMG XF 40 and realized \$1,920 in September, 2019. The example in this lot is of a much higher grade and has only an upper left corner fold. It is well centered within broad margins, too. In total, it is only our fourth mismatched serial number error on a \$100 that we have auctioned, and only the second since 2005. It is also the highest graded by a large margin of our four previous offerings.

*From the Conway Collection of Error Notes, Part II*

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**



## "The Del Monte Note" Obstructed Printing Error with Retained Obstruction

**21201 Obstructed Printing Error with Retained Obstruction Fr. 2084-H \$20 1996 Federal Reserve Note. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.** This highly unusual and colorful error note is commonly referred to by collectors in the numismatic fraternity as "The Del Monte Note," simply because of the retained printed over "Del Monte Ecuador" banana sticker obstruction. Most obstructions fall off shortly after printing, leaving behind a blank area of paper lacking the design, but errors with objects that "stick" to the note and enter circulation are very rare. A few objects seen on other obstruction errors include a band-aid, paper fragments, scotch tape, and wood shavings. United States paper money is essentially printed in three stages: the first printing is the back of the note, the second printing provides the face devices, and the final printing includes both seals and the serial numbers. When this note was printed at the Fort Worth Western Currency Facility, it went through the first and second printings normally before the Del Monte sticker found its way onto the surface. The sticker's placement is ideal, as it covers part of the second printing details and is overlaid by part of the Treasury Seal and the right serial number from the third printing.

Most would conjecture that this error note was no accident and probably the result of some very bored or creative BEP employee. Its presence in the market place however is not dubious, as it passed through the regular channels of the Federal Reserve before it was released into circulation. In the summer of 2004, a college student in Ohio received it as part of an ATM withdrawal and shortly there after posted it on eBay where it sold to the highest of 12 bids. The note was a bargain at around \$10,000 on eBay as news of the note had barely hit the collecting community. In subsequent weeks, it was the cover story in both *Bank Note Reporter* and *Numismatic News*. Then in 2006, we offered the piece in our FUN Auction, where it topped \$25,000. Since then it has earned a spot on the cover of, *US Error Note Encyclopedia* second edition by Stephen M. Sullivan. This fabled error is now looking for a new home, but it will take serious consideration and a very strong bid to bring one of the greatest paper money errors home.

**Starting Bid: \$12,500**





### Dramatic Doubled Second Printing \$5 Error

#### **21202 Doubled Second Printing Error Fr. 1974-G \$5 1977 Federal Reserve Note PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.**

This error type is found only on small size notes. Dr. Frederick J. Bart states on page 126 of the fourth edition of *United States Paper Money Errors* that, "small size notes with doubled impressions are legitimately rare." This is reinforced on page 190 of the second edition of *US Error Note Encyclopedia* by Stephen M. Sullivan as he has assigned his highest class rarity rating of R9 for this error type. The dramatic example in this lot has two complete 100% second printings with the separation between the two printings being 1mm. The two face plate numbers in the lower right corner are B256 and B279 and they are easily readable. Lincoln has four eyes and doubling of his other facial features. This is a great example to represent this error type in a major error collection or to be a keystone of a budding error collection that will some day become major.

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End of Session Four

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\$100 - \$199 .....	\$10	\$100,000 - \$199,999 .....	\$10,000
\$200 - \$499 .....	\$20	\$200,000 - \$499,999 .....	\$20,000
\$500 - \$999 .....	\$50	\$500,000 - \$999,999 .....	\$25,000
\$1,000 - \$1,999 .....	\$100	\$1,000,000 - \$1,999,999 .....	\$50,000
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NUMISMATICS	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
World Paper Money	Hong Kong	December 17 – 18, 2020	Closed
World Coins	Hong Kong	December 18 – 19, 2020	Closed
US Coins	Dallas	January 20 – 24, 2021	Closed
US Currency & World Paper Money	Dallas	January 20 – 24, 2021	Closed
World & Ancient Coins	Dallas	January 21 – 22, 2021	Closed
US Coins	Long Beach	February 17 – 21, 2021	December 21, 2020
US Currency	Dallas	April 21 – 27, 2021	March 1, 2021
World Paper Money	Netherlands	April 14 – 17, 2021	March 10, 2021
World & Ancient Coins	Dallas	April 21 – 27, 2021	February 19, 2021
FINE & DECORATIVE ARTS	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Asian Art	Dallas	December 11, 2020	Closed
Design	Dallas	January 28, 2021	Closed
Urban Art	Dallas	March 11, 2021	January 7, 2021
Asian Art	Dallas	March 16, 2021	January 4, 2021
Nature and Science	Dallas	March 19, 2021	January 22, 2021
Photographs	Dallas	April 10, 2021	February 5, 2021
Design	Dallas	April 19, 2021	February 8, 2021
Prints and Multiples	Dallas	April 20, 2021	February 16, 2021
Illustration Art	Dallas	April 23, 2021	February 18, 2021
Lalique & Art Glass	Dallas	April 29, 2021	February 17, 2021
Texas Art	Dallas	May 1, 2021	February 26, 2021
American Art	Dallas	May 7, 2021	March 5, 2021
Fine Silver & Objects of Vertu	Dallas	May 13, 2021	March 3, 2021
Modern & Contemporary Art	Dallas	May 13, 2021	March 11, 2021
Decorative Art	Dallas	May 28, 2021	March 18, 2021
European Art	Dallas	June 4, 2021	April 2, 2021
Ethnographic and Pre-Columbian Art	Dallas	June 11, 2021	April 1, 2021
MEMORABILIA & COLLECTIBLES	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Sports Collectibles	Dallas	December 10 – 13, 2020	Closed
Animation Art	Dallas	December 11 – 13, 2020	Closed
Comics & Comic Art	Dallas	January 14, 2021	Closed
Sports Cards	Dallas	January 28, 2021	Closed
Sports	Dallas	February 20, 2021	December 30, 2020
European Comic Art	Dallas	March 13, 2021	January 14, 2021
Entertainment & Music Memorabilia	Dallas	March 20 – 21, 2021	January 20, 2021
Movie Posters	Dallas	March 27, 2021	February 2, 2021
Comics & Comic Art	Dallas	April 1, 2021	February 9, 2021
Animation Art	Dallas	May 14, 2021	March 24, 2021
HISTORICAL COLLECTIBLES	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Americana and Political	Dallas	February 27 – 28, 2021	January 6, 2021
Historical Manuscripts	Dallas	May 19, 2021	March 29, 2021
Space Exploration	Dallas	May 21 – 22, 2021	March 30, 2021
Arms & Armor and Civil War & Militaria	Dallas	June 6, 2021	April 15, 2021
Rare Books	Dallas	June 9-10, 2021	April 19, 2021
LUXURY LIFESTYLE	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Wine	Beverly Hills	December 11, 2020	Closed
Wine	Beverly Hills	March 12, 2021	January 19, 2021
Luxury Accessories	Dallas	May 2, 2021	February 25, 2021
Fine Jewelry	Dallas	May 3, 2021	February 16, 2021
Timepieces	Dallas	June 1, 2021	March 17, 2021

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<b>Sports</b>   10 PM Sundays	<b>U.S. Coins</b>   7 PM Tuesdays & Wednesdays	<b>World Coins</b>   8 PM Thursdays
<b>Vintage Posters</b>   10 PM Sundays	<b>Prints &amp; Multiples</b>   2 PM Wednesdays	<b>Nature &amp; Science</b>   8 PM Thursdays
<b>Currency (US &amp; World)</b>   7 PM Tuesdays	<b>Photographs</b>   3 PM Third Wednesdays	<b>Wine</b>   10 PM First Thursdays

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